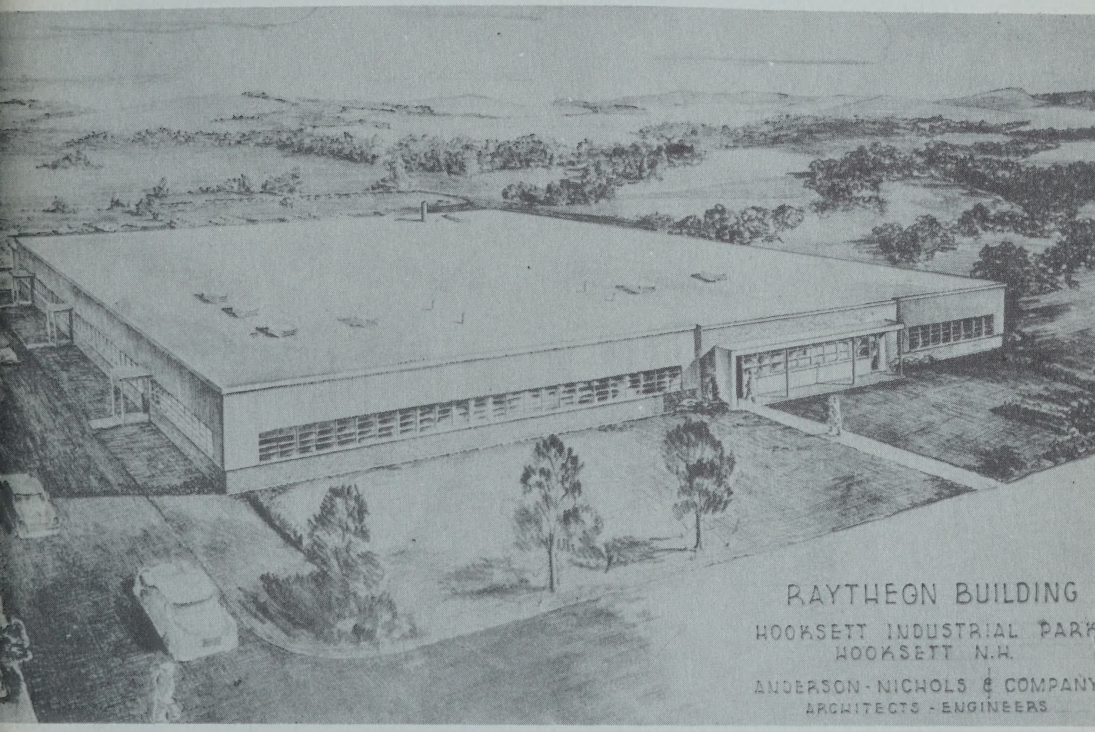
# Annual Reports

OF THE TOWN OF

# HOOKSETT

New Hampshire




For the year ending December 31, 1956

# ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SELECTMEN, TOWN TREASURER, BOARD OF EDUCATION, SCHOOL TREASURER, TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY, BOARD OF HEALTH, VITAL STATISTICS, ETC., ETC.,

of the

TOWN OF

# HOOKSETT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1956

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| Population, 1950 Census | 2,778 |
| Total Taxable Valuation, 1952 | $2,540,604.00 |
| Tax Rate, Town | $7.60 per $100.00 |
| Tax Rate, Central Precinct | $1.60 per $100.00 |
| Tax Rate, Village Precinct | $.83 per $100.00 |

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U. S. SENATORS

Hon. H. Styles Bridges  Hon. Norris Cotton

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Hon. Chester E. Merrow

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## TO THE VOTERS AND TAXPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT

The year 1956 has drawn to a close and accordingly, the Board of Selectmen submits for your approval a report of their activities in the administration of the Town's government for the past year.

The Selectmen feel that the year 1956 was the most progressive as well as the most decisive of any in the history of our Town.

The State of New Hampshire with their enlarged and expanded program of Super Highway construction has seen fit to make Hooksett the "cross roads" of New Hampshire. This fact, together with the establishment of a six hundred acre Industrial Park in the very center of our Town, will undoubtedly make Hooksett an area of rapid residential and industrial growth for years to come, indeed the effects have already been noted.

We feel that a very carefully planned program must be instituted to take care of our expanding needs and at the same time to keep our tax situation in the proper perspective.

Already the State Tax Commission is at work on the monumental task of reassessing the Town of Hooksett. It is hoped that this reassessment will straighten out any inequalities that may now exist in our tax structure and at the same time provide a basis for the fair evaluation of any future residential or industrial property.

The past year has seen the completion of a fine water works in the central area of the Town. It will be remembered that the cost of the original survey for this water system was borne by the entire town through an article voted upon favorably at the 1954 Town Meeting. The fruits of that small investment will soon be realized in increased tax revenue, resulting from a greatly increased evaluation of property in that area. The Board of Selectmen take this opportunity to congratulate the commissioners of the Central Hooksett Water Precinct on the fine job they have done in implementing the construction of the water system in the Martin's Corner section of Hooksett.

George A. Cook has turned in his usual fine performance as chief of our highway department. Maintenance of our highways was carried out under particularly adverse conditions, both at the end of the 1955-56 winter season and at the beginning of the 1956-57 winter season; nevertheless our highways were maintained at a high standard. During the year, a considerable amount of new streets were added to our highway system. These included a continuation of Susan Avenue in the Lincoln Park Section, a continuation of North Reading Street, off from Wellington Road, and the construction of "Morse Drive" and "Birch Hill Drive" in the Village. It is anticipated that substantial amounts of new streets or continuation of old ones will be accepted by the Board of Selectmen in 1957.

The Town authorized the Selectmen under Article 10 of the 1956 Warrant, to purchase for the sum of $1,200.00, a load-pack unit for the collection of rubbish. This article was implemented according to the provisions, and the town is now in possession of the above unit. This unit has not only saved us a substantial amount of money but has contributed much from a safety standpoint to the happiness of the men engaged in the collection of rubbish; this load-pack unit has enabled us to save time enough in the collection of rubbish so that it will be possible to cover the whole town for rubbish collection in 1957 should it be desired.

Our Police and Fire Departments continue to give us efficient protection on extremely economical budgets. The morale of these departments is high and this fact can be attributed only to the interest and high quality of the leadership of the Chiefs of the departments. The No. 2 Fire Department has just completed an addition to the South Hooksett Fire Station, consisting of a large utility room. This room is in keeping with the architecture of the building and is a welcome addition. All of the work and most of the materials were contributed by the department, and interested citizens; again this represents the above mentioned high morale. It was with deep regret that the Board of Selectmen accepted the resignation of Leo N. Sasseville as Chief of Fire Department No. 2. Maurice Boisvert was appointed Chief in place of Sasseville and is, in the opinion of the Selectmen, doing an excellent job of carrying on the work of the department.

In closing this brief written report, let us re-iterate our belief, that the Town of Hooksett has arrived at that decisive point at which the most careful and exhaustive planning is necessary for our continued growth and future prosperity.

May we see you at Town Meeting, Tuesday March 12, 1957.

Sincerely,

OSCAR MORIN, JR.
JAMES G. FOLLANSBEE
LESLIE M. PIKE

Selectmen.

# TOWN OFFICERS

## Selectmen.

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|---|---|
| OSCAR A. MORIN, JR. | Term expires 1957 |
| JAMES G. FOLLANSBEE | Term expires 1958 |
| LESLIE M. PIKE | Term expires 1959 |

## Town Clerk

CHARLES R. HARDY

## Tax Collector

SARAH M. HARDY

## Town Treasurer

DOUGLAS A. BRISSON

## Overseer of the Poor

CHARLES E. WOODBURY

## Chief of Police

LINDSAY H. RICE

## Health Officer

JOHN B. MULAIRE

## Road Agent

GEORGE A. COOK

Judge of Municipal Court

FRANK D. CATE

Moderator

GEORGE A. COOK

Supervisors of Check List

MAURICE BOISVERT GEORGE A. LAVALLEE
EDNA BOISVERT

Library Trustees

GERTRUDE H. WASHBURN JAMES G. FOLLANSBEE
MAUDE S. LANGFORD

Auditors

RENA B. WATSON RACHEL A. LaFLEUR

Forest Fire Wardens

GEORGE A. COOK DEPUTY, ALFRED COLLERETTE

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

WALTER SCOTT ALFRED ROUSSEAU

Weighers of Commodities

HOMER ENDERSON RUTGER BROEK LESLIE M. PIKE
JOHN BATES ROLAND CASEY JAMES GILBERT

## Fence Viewers

GEORGE A. COOK
WALTER SCOTT
GEORGE BLAKESLEE
EDWARD DuDEVOIR

## School Board

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|---|---|
| LOIS C. MERRILL | Term expires 1957 |
| RUTGER BROEK | Term expires 1958 |
| LESLIE M. PIKE | Term expires 1959 |

## Fire Chiefs

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| GERARD LAMBERT | Department No. 1 |
| MAURICE BOISVERT | Department No. 2 |

## Representatives

JOHN B. MULAIRE
EDWARD DuDEVOIR

## Hog Reeves

PAUL LaFLEUR

## Ballot Clerks

CORA HALL
CHARLES E. WOODBURY
LEANDRE LAMBERT
LOIS C. MERRILL

## Trustees of Trust Funds

| | |
|---|---|
| LEON BOISVERT | Term expires 1957 |
| PAUL GUIMOND | Term expires 1958 |
| ANNA M. BOISVERT | Term expires 1959 |

## Budget Committee

Fred Walker, Lionel Courchesne, Arthur J. LeBonville - 1957
Paul Guimond, Howard M. Burbank, Lionel LaPlante - 1958
Charles E. Woodbury, Lindsay H. Rice, Charles R. Leone - 1959

## Planning Board

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|---|---|
| NORMAN E. BAILEY | Term expires 1961 |
| RUSSELL R. CARTER | Term expires 1960 |
| RALPH W. PAGE | Term expires 1960 |
| NELSON LAMBERT | Term expires 1959 |
| OSCAR A. MORIN SR. | Term expires 1958 |
| ROLAND LEVESQUE | Term expires 1957 |

LESLIE M. PIKE, Selectman

## TOWN WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hooksett in the (L.S.) County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hooksett on Tuesday, the twelfth (12th) day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects at eleven of the clock in the forenoon. Polls will close at 7 P.M.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To see if the Town will vote to give a discount of two (2%) per cent on all taxes, except poll taxes, paid on or before the fifteenth (15th) day of July, and to grant the Selectmen authority to extend this date if unable to get tax rate from State Tax Commission as of July 1st.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of the 1957 taxes, to be repaid therefrom.

4. To hear the reports of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Agents, Auditors and Committees, or other officers heretofore chosen or appointed and to pass any vote relating thereto.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding one hundred ($100.00) dollars, to the Merrimack Valley Region Association as the Town's proportionate share in publicizing and promoting all interests in this Region, or act in relation thereto.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred and twenty-three dollars and sixty-one cents ($423.61) the State to furnish two thousand eight hundred twenty-four dollars and eight cents ($2,824.08), the same to be expended under the State Highway Department for Class V Town Road Assistance, or take any action thereto.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of forty ($40.00) dollars to install one (1) street light at the corner of Morse Drive and the Daniel Webster Highway.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and twenty ($120.00) dollars to install three (3) street lights on North Reading Street. Inserted by petition.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eighty ($80.00) dollars for the installation of two (2) street lights on South Elmer Avenue. Inserted by petition.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred ($700.00) dollars to purchase land to enlarge Head's Cemetery.

11. To see if the Town will vote to have the reading of the articles in the Town Warrant begin at 7 P.M. on election day; the polls to be open from 10 A.M. until 6:30 P.M., rescinding all prior inconsistent votes of the Town on the subject.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars to extend the garbage collection to all sections of the Town not receiving same service as of now.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand ($5,000.00) dollars, to be amortized over a five year period, to complete construction of the Town Garage started in 1956.

14. To see if the Town will vote to ratify and confirm the action of the Selectmen in fixing the size of the Planning Board at seven (7) members.

15. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 31, Sections 57 to 59 inclusive of the Revised Laws Annotated, and raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred ($500.00) for this purpose.

Chapter 31, section 57 is as follows: Towns may grant pensions to any fireman, police officer, or constable, who, by reason of permanent disability, directly incurred in the performance of his official duty, is no longer able to perform services in such capacity, or who has served faithfully for not less than 25 years; provided that no pension shall be granted for more than one year at a time. The maximum amount of such pension shall be in the case of a permanent man one-half of the pay received by him at the time of his retirement, or disability in case of a part-time man, or special man, five hundred ($500.00) dollars.

16. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance:

TOWN OF HOOKSETT

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO TAXICABS

## SECTION 1.

## PROHIBITION

No person shall operate a taxicab in the Town of Hooksett unless both the vehicle and the operator thereof shall be licensed in accordance with this ordinance.

## SECTION 2.

## DEFINITIONS

The word taxicab shall mean any motor vehicle used in the call and demand transportation of passengers for compensation to and from points designated by the passengers and not operated on a fixed schedule between fixed termini, or any such vehicle leased or rented, or held for leasing or renting, with or without a driver. An operator of a taxicab shall mean the driver thereof.

## SECTION 3.

## TAXICAB LICENSE

A taxicab license shall be issued by the Board of Selectmen, upon application of the owner of such vehicle, provided the Board shall find that the operation of such taxicab shall be for the public convenience; and further provided that the owner of the vehicle shall pay the fee prescribed in Section 6 and deposit the certificates of insurance required by Section 5.

## SECTION 4.

## OPERATORS LICENSE

A taxicab operator's license shall be issued by the Board of Selectmen, upon application of the person desiring the license, provided that such person shall provide evidence that he has been issued a commercial operator's license by the State of New Hampshire and is of good moral character; and further provided that he shall pay the fee prescribed in Section 6.

## SECTION 5

## INSURANCE REQUIRED

Before a taxicab license shall be issued, the owner of the vehicle shall deposit with the Board of Selectmen certificates of insurance showing the coverage on the vehicle to be licensed. Such insurance shall be written with a company satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen and the limits for public liability shall not be less than $10,000. for each person and $20,000. for each accident and the limit for property damage shall not be less than $5,000.

## SECTION 6.

## FEES

The annual fee for each taxicab license shall be $15.00 and the annual fee for each operator's license shall be $1.00.

## SECTION 7.

## REVOCATION

Any license issued under the provisions of this ordinance may be revoked by the Board of Selectmen for any violation of the provisions of this ordinance or any violation of the laws of the State of New Hampshire relative to motor vehicles or the operation of motor vehicles.

## SECTION 8.

## VIOLATIONS

The violation of any provision of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not more than $25.00 for each offense.

## SECTION 9.

## TAKES EFFECT

This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

17. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance:

TOWN OF HOOKSETT

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO ALL NIGHT PARKING

SECTION 1.

PROHIBITION

All night parking is prohibited on all public roads, or highways, in the Town of Hooksett during the period from November 1 to May 1 of each year.

SECTION 2.

PENALTY

Any vehicle so parked in violation of Section 1 shall be towed away and stored in a public garage; and shall be released only after the owner or operator has paid the charges for such towing and storage.

SECTION 3.

TAKES EFFECT

This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

18. To see if the town will vote to accept the budget in whole or part.

19. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Zoning Ordinance:

PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE
Prepared by the Planning Board
for the
Town of Hooksett, New Hampshire

## ARTICLE I

## PREAMBLE

In pursuance of authority conferred by Chapter 31, Sections 60-89, N. H. Revised Statutes, Annotated, 1955, and for the purpose of promoting the health, safety, morals, prosperity, convenience of general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development, of the inhabitants of the incorporated Town of Hooksett, New Hampshire, by securing safety from fire, panic and other dangers, providing adequate areas between buildings and various rights of way, by preserving the rural charm now attached to our town, the promotion of good civic design and arrangements, wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the adequate provision of public utilities and other public requirements, and by other means, now therefore the following Ordinance is hereby enacted by the voters of the Town of Hooksett, New Hampshire, in official Town meeting convened.

## ARTICLE II

## DISTRICTS

For the purpose of this ordinance the Town of Hooksett is divided into districts as shown on the zoning map filed with the Town Clerk and dated February 7, 1957 and including the following: (1) Residential District; (2) General Residence and Agricultural District; (3) Commercial District; (4) Industrial District.

## ARTICLE III

## GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. No junk yard or place for the storage of discarded machinery, vehicles, or other scrap materials shall be maintained in any District.

B. No owner or occupant of land in any District shall permit fire or other ruins to be left but shall remove the same to ground level within two years except in case of hardship an extension of time could be granted.

C. The removal of sod, loam, clay, sand, gravel, or other natural inorganic material from any premises in any District is allowed in instances when such removal is (1) incidental to the lawful construction or alteration of a building or structure, or the lawful construction of a way (including driveway), on the portion of the premises where removal occurs; or (2) incidental to the construction or operation of public works by the Town or the State at the location where the removal occurs. Otherwise, the removal of such materials or any of them from any premises in any District is prohibited except that such removal may be authorized by the Board of Adjustment by special permit in any instance where the Board determines that the removal will be advantageous to the premises in question or to the neighborhood or otherwise desirable and will be of such character and can be so accomplished that by proper re-grading, re-loaming, re-seeding, or other means which shall be required assure that the premises will be left in sightly condition and protected against erosion. No permit shall be required to move soil or any natural inorganic material within the confines of one's property.

D. Sanitary Protection

1. No cesspool, septic tank, or sewage disposal area shall be constructed or maintained less than 75 feet from the edge of a public water body; from a well; and at least 25 feet from the property line.

2. No waste waters or sewage shall be permitted to run free into a public water body or be discharged in any way that may be offensive or detrimental to the health of others. All such waste shall be conveyed away underground through use of an accepted sanitary system or in such a way that it will not be offensive or detrimental to health.

3. All dwellings and sanitary systems should be constructed and maintained in accordance with standards set and enforced by the N. H. State Department of Health and by the N. H. Water Pollution Commission.

E. No building or land shall hereafter be used or occupied and no building or part thereof shall be erected, moved, or altered except in conformity with the regulations.

F. Any uses that may be obnoxious or injurious by reason of the production or emission of odor, dust, smoke, refuse matter, fumes, noise vibrations, or similar conditions, or that are dangerous to the comfort, peace, enjoyment, health or safety of the community or lending to its disturbance or annoyance are prohibited.

## ARTICLE IV

## RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT

A building may be erected, and a lot may be used or occupied, for the following purposes, and in accordance with the following provisions:

A. Uses Permitted

1. Single-family and two-family dwellings.

2. Churches, synagogues, parish houses, convents, hospitals, sanatoriums, day nurseries and kindergartens, recreational and community center buildings, and grounds for games and sports, except those carried on primarily for gains.

3. Municipal buildings, schools and institutions of higher education.

4. Residences may be used to house uses by the owner or tenant as offices for doctor, engineer, architect, lawyer, real estate, and insurance, or other recognized profession, or home occupation such as hair-dressing, barber shops, dressmaking, manufacture of craft products for sale, or manufacture of food products, except that the number of persons employed at any one location shall not number more than four persons in addition to the owner or tenant.

5. Farm and garden activities are permitted when incidental to primary residential use, but any use injurious, obnoxious, or offensive to the neighborhood is prohibited.

6. Home produce and products may be bought and sold and exposed for sale.

B. Required Lot Area

The lot area where public water is available shall not be less than 10,000 square feet, and the frontage not less than 100 feet provided however that a one-family or two-family dwelling may be constructed on a record lot or parcel of land of record at the time this Ordinance becomes effective regardless of the area or width of such lot, provided the yard and other requirements prescribed are complied with. Vacant lots in the same ownership having in the aggregate a continuous frontage of 100 feet or more shall not be subject to this exception; however, the Board of Adjustment, upon being petitioned, may allow slight exceptions to the required lot size.

B-1. Without water or sewage, lots shall be 150 x 150 feet; however, the Board of Adjustment, upon being petitioned, may allow slight exceptions to the required lot size.

B-2. Any one desiring to build a residence on an existing lot smaller than the size lot as described in Art. IV B is required to submit a plan for the proposed residence, for approval by the Board of Adjustment.

B-3. Any proposed sub-division must submit a plan for approval to the Board of Adjustment, but in any event lot areas shall not be less than 100 x 100 feet, and all buildings must conform to all of the regulations of this zoning ordinance.

C. Percentage of Lot Coverage

All buildings, including accessory buildings, shall not cover more than thirty (30) percent of the area of the lot.

D. Yards Required

Each lot shall have front, side, and rear yards not less than the depths or width following:

1. There shall be a front yard on each lot which shall be not less than twenty-five (25) feet in depth from the front yard line.

2. On each interior lot, side yards shall be provided in an aggregate minimum width of thirty (30) feet with a minimum of fifteen (15) feet for any one side yard.

3. On each corner lot there shall be a side yard abutting the street having a width of not less than twenty-five (25) feet.

4. On any lot, in any side yard not abutting a street, a detached private garage may be erected and maintained within the rear quarter of the lot if not closer to the side lot line than four (4) feet.

E. Trailers and Mobile Homes

1. A single trailer or a single mobile home may be located anywhere in this district, provided it meets all frontage, front yard, side and back yard, minimum land area and sanitary protection requirements in this Ordinance.

2. The use of land for the accommodation of a trailer and or a mobile home for payment is prohibited except in the case where such now exist. However, any property owner or lessee may accommodate the trailer of a non-paying guest for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days in any one year.

F. Signs

Property owners with business, profession, or service enterprises shall be allowed two advertising signs not to total over eight (8) square feet in area for each sign; also, two signs pertaining to the lease, sale, or use of a lot or building on which placed, shall not exceed a total area of five (5) square feet. A permit must be secured from the Board of Adjustment for signs other than those above specified. This applies to all Districts.

## ARTICLE V

## GENERAL RESIDENCE AND AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT

A building may be erected, altered or used, and a lot may be used or occupied for any of the following purposes, and in accordance with the following provisions:

A. Any use permitted in the Residential District under the same provisions as apply to residences in those Districts, except that lot areas shall be governed by Article V, C.

B. All general farming and forestry activities.

C. Required Lot Area

No lot shall be less than 150 x 150 feet, except that where lots are located on the exterior of a curving street, a shorter front dimension shall be permitted provided the average width of the lot measured across its center shall be 150 feet. However, the Board of Adjustment upon being petitioned, may allow slight exceptions to the required size of the lots.

D. Percentage of Lot Coverage

All buildings, including accessory buildings, shall not cover more than thirty (30) percent of the area of the lot.

E. Yards Required

To comply with Article IV D.

F. Trailers and Mobile Homes; Trailer Parks and Mobile Homes Parks

1. Trailers and Mobile homes.

A single trailer or a single mobile home may be located anywhere in this District provided it meets all frontage, front yard, side and back yard, minimum land area, and Sanitary Protection requirements in this ordinance.

2. New Trailer Parks and Mobile home Parks.

Trailer parks and mobile home parks may be located anywhere in this District provided that they are 200 feet distant from the nearest dwelling at the time of establishment and further provided that:

a. Each mobile home space shall contain a minimum of 2400 square feet; shall be at least 25 feet wide; and shall abut on a roadway of not less than 30 feet, if off-street parking is provided, otherwise 40 feet. Such spaces shall be clearly defined, and trailers or mobile homes shall be parked in such spaces so that there will be a minimum of 15 feet between trailers or mobile homes and so that no trailer or mobile home will be less than 10 feet from the exterior boundary of the park.

b. In all trailer and mobile home parks roadways shall be well drained, graveled, hard-surfaced or paved and maintained in good condition and be lighted at night.

c. Access roads shall be provided to each trailer or mobile home space. Each access road shall be continuous; shall connect with a street or highway; and shall have a minimum width of 20 feet.

d. Areas shall be provided for the parking of motor vehicles. Such areas shall accomodate at least the number of vehicles equal to the number of trailer or mobile home spaces provided.

## ARTICLE VI

## COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS

A. A building may be erected, altered or used, and a lot may be used or occupied for any of the following purposes and in accordance with the following provisions:

1. Any use permitted in the General Residence and Agricultural District under the same provisions as apply to residences in said District.

2. Lodging houses, apartment houses, hotels, inns, motels, tourist courts cabins, including such retail business within these permitted buildings as are conducted for the convenience of the residents or guests shall be permitted.

3. Shops, restaurants, and other retail establishments.

4. Garages, parking lots, and filling stations.

5. Business offices.

6. Theatres, halls, clubs, amusement centers.

7. Greenhouse, florist shop.

8. Undertaking establishment.

9. Wholesale establishments.

B. Yards Required

1. There shall be a front yard on each lot which shall not be less than thirty-five (35) feet in depth.

2. Each side yard shall be not less than twenty-five (25) feet.

3. There shall be a rear yard on each lot the depth of which shall not be less than twenty (20) feet.

C. Percentage of Lot Coverage

Not more than seventy-five (75) percent of the area of any lot shall be occupied by buildings, except when authorized as a special exception by the Board of Adjustment.

D. Parking

If any proposed use is such to attract vehicles, ample space shall be provided on the property to accomodate all such vehicles.

## ARTICLE VII

## INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT

All industrial establishments in this District shall abide by the Protective Covenant Standards of the New Hampshire Industrial Park Authority. Other industries may locate within the Town upon receiving permission of the Board of Adjustment.

## ARTICLE VIII

## NONCONFORMING USES AND BUILDINGS

A. Any nonconforming use of land or building (other than uses specified in B. and C. below) may continue in their present use, except that any nonconforming use or building may not be:

1. Changed to another nonconforming use;

2. Re-established after discontinuance for one year except to a use conforming to this ordinance;

3. Extended or enlarged; except by approval of the Board of Adjustment;

B. No junk yard may continue as a nonconforming use for more than one year after the effective date of this ordinance, except that a junk yard may continue as a nonconforming use if within that period it is completely enclosed within a continuous solid fence of such height, not less than eight feet high in any case, as to screen completely the operations of the junk yard. Plans of such building or fence shall be approved by the Board of Selectmen before it is erected.

C. No outdoor advertising structure may continue as a non-conforming use for more than two years after the effective date of this ordinance unless it is designed to direct attention to a business or profession conducted on the premises.

## ARTICLE IX

## ENFORCEMENT

A. It shall be the duty of the Board of Selectmen, and the Board is hereby given power and authority to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

B. Upon any well founded information that this Ordinance is being violated the Selectmen shall take immediate steps to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance by seeking an injunction in the Superior Court or by any other legal action.

## ARTICLE X

## BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Within thirty days after the adoption of this Ordinance and thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the Board of Selectmen shall make appointments to a Board of Adjustment of five members conforming in duties to the provisions of Chapter 31 of the N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955. Thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the appointing authority shall be responsible for filling vacancies and maintaining full membership on the Board of Adjustment. The Board of Adjustment shall conform in membership and term of office to the provisions of Section 67, Chapter 31, N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955. In addition to the general powers granted said Board by said Chapter 31, it may in harmony with and subject to its provisions:

A. Waive the Residential District frontage requirement where there are unusual conditions of street curvature. In such cases, however, the average width of the lot shall be equal to or greater than the frontage requirements.

B. Permit in a Commercial District manufacturing which is incidental to a retail business where articles are sold at retail on the premises and where not more than five (5) operators are employed in such manufacturing.

C. Permit in the Residential-Agricultural District an industry which proves it can and will meet the following requirements:

1. Be located at least 60' from the edge of any right of way, and not less than 20' from each side and rear boundary line.

2. Provide adequate parking facilities for
   a. Freight and delivery trucks, and
   b. Employee parking.

3. Will not offend by reason of the emission of smoke, dust, gas, noise, odor or fumes.

## ARTICLE XI

## AMENDMENTS

This Ordinance may be amended by a majority vote of any legal town meeting when such amendment is published in the warrant calling for the meeting, and when such amendment has received a public hearing, which hearing has been advertised and given a legal fifteen day notice.

## ARTICLE XII

## PENALTY

Every person, persons, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be fined not more than ten dollars upon conviction for each day such violation may exist.

## ARTICLE XIII

## SAVING CLAUSE

The invalidity of any provision of this Ordinance shall not effect the validity of any other provision.

## ARTICLE XIV

## WHEN EFFECTIVE

This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

## ARTICLE XV

## DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this Ordinance, certain terms are defined as provided in this section.

A. Home produce and products means and includes everything of an agricultural nature grown, produced, conditioned or otherwise carried on the property of the resident, also such articles as are manufactured or altered by members of the household of the bona fide resident of any property.

B. Right of Way means and includes all town, state and federal highways and the land on either side of same as covered by statutes to determine the widths of the rights of way.

C. Tourist Home means any place consisting of a room or group of rooms located on one premises where transient accomodations for sleeping or living purposes for not more than six persons are provided for a price.

D. Accessory building means a building subordinate to the main building on a lot used for purposes customarily incidental to those of the main building.

E. Trailer Park or Mobilehome Park means a land area occupied or designed for occupancy by two or more trailers in use for living purposes.

F. Front Yard. A space extending for a full width of a lot between the extreme front line of a building and the nearest side of the right of way.

G. Frontage means the length of the lot bordering on the public right of way.

H. Junk means any old metals, old bottles, cotton or woolen mill waste, unfinished cloth, unfinished cotton or woolen mill yarns, old paper products, old rubber products, two or more unregistered motor vehicles which are unfit for use on highways, used parts and materials or motor vehicles which are unfit for use on highways, used parts and materials or motor vehicles, and other second hand articles the accumulation of which is detrimental or injurious to the neighborhood.

J. Nonconforming building or structure. A nonconforming building or structure is a building or structure, the use of which, in whole or in part, does not conform to the use regulations of the district in which the building or structure is located.

K. Nonconforming use. A nonconforming use is a use in any building or structure which does not conform to the use regulations of the District in which such use exists.

L. Record Lot. Land designated as a separate and distinct parcel in a legally recorded deed filed in the records of Merrimack County, New Hampshire.

M. Lot Line. A line dividing one lot from another.

N. Sub-Division. Any proposed residential developement of two (2) or more residences.

20. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Building Regulations:

PROPOSED BUILDING REGULATIONS
Prepared by the Planning Board
for the
Town of Hooksett, New Hampshire

1. No building or structure shall be erected, unless in compliance with the following:

a. FOUNDATIONS: All structures shall be set on solid foundations of cement, brick, stone or other acceptable masonry except that in special cases where buildings are to be used for accessory use, industrial use, warehouse and the like, the Board of Adjustment may waive the requirements of this section and permit the use of wood, metal or masonry piers.

b. BUILDING: Must be framed according to good building practices and outside walls shall be covered with permanent materials customarily used such as wood, or fire resistant shingles, sidings, clapboards, brick, stucco, concrete or cinder block or other acceptable materials.

c. CHIMNEY CONSTRUCTION: 1. No chimney shall be built, erected, or altered below the roof unless containing a tile or brick lining and with an iron clean-out door at or near its base, and shall extend at least 18 inches above the peak of the roof. No chimney shall be built, erected, or altered below the roof having wood or other combustible materials within one inch of the chimney and no chimney shall have its base resting upon any floor or beam of combustible material.

2. No smoke pipes shall be installed or erected so as to be within twelve (12) inches of any combustible floor, ceiling, wall or partition, unless amply protected with non-combustible material. No smoke pipe shall be installed or erected which passes into or through partitions or walls of combustible material, except when guarded by a double collar of metal with air space of at least five (5) inches, or by at least five (5) inches of brick or other non-combustible material between the pipe and the combustible material.

d. SEWERAGE: All dwellings and all commercial, public or industrial buildings shall be connected to an adequate sewage disposal system.

2. BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT: Refer to Article 10 of the proposed Zoning Ordinance.

3. MINIMUM BUILDING AREA: Every dwelling unit to be used by a single family shall have a minimum ground floor area of four hundred square feet.

4. ENFORCEMENT: Upon any well-founded information that this Ordinance is being violated, the Selectmen shall, on their own initiative, take immediate steps to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

5. TAKES EFFECT: This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

Given under our hands and seal, this 15th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

OSCAR MORIN, JR.
JAMES FOLLANSBEE
LESLIE PIKE
Selectmen of Hooksett, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

OSCAR MORIN, JR.
JAMES FOLLANSBEE
LESLIE PIKE
Selectmen of Hooksett, N. H.

## HOOKSETT BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT

An open meeting of the Budget Committee was held at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, February 14th, 1956 at 7 o'clock. Voters present discussed the articles of the warrant.

A closed meeting of the Committee was held on Friday evening, February 15th at Fire Station No. 2, at 7 o'clock. Articles approved were as follows: Articles approved 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 and 13.

Respectfully submitted,

Hooksett Budget Committee

FRED WALKER,
NELSON LAMBERT,
LINDSAY RICE,
ALFRED COLLERETTE
PAUL GUIMOND
OSCAR MORIN, JR., for the Selectmen
CHARLES R. LEONE,
HOWARD BURBANK,
RUTGER BROEK, for School Board
EDWARD HIGGINS, for Central Water Precinct
CHARLES E. WOODBURY, Clerk

BUDGET OF THE TOWN
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the
Compared
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and
to December

| SOURCES OF REVENUE | Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1956 | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1956 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1957 |
|---|---|---|---|
| From State: | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | $ 2,500.00 | $ 2,702.01 | $ 2,500.00 |
| Railroad Tax | 215.00 | 241.91 | 215.00 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 100.00 | 174.85 | 150.00 |
| Reimbursement a/c State & Federal forest lands | 50.00 | 53.46 | 50.00 |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | 150.00 | 174.21 | 150.00 |
| Road Toll Refund | 350.00 | 416.80 | 400.00 |
| Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance | 1,000.00 | 773.68 | 100.00 |
| Refund on Head Tax | | 106.67 | 100.00 |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes: | | | |
| Dog Licenses | 750.00 | 878.00 | 750.00 |
| Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees | 100.00 | 134.00 | 150.00 |
| Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court | 750.00 | 640.00 | 600.00 |
| Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings | 250.00 | 312.50 | 300.00 |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 1,000.00 | 997.12 | 800.00 |
| Income from Trust Funds | 832.81 | 930.52 | 850.00 |
| Income of Departments: Highway, including rental of equipment | 1,200.00 | 1,653.38 | 1,200.00 |
| Fighting Forest Fires (Local) | | 124.40 | |
| Misc refunds | 250.00 | 56.90 | 50.00 |
| Income on Town Charges | 1,000.00 | 3,879.34 | 1,000.00 |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 16,500.00 | 18,362.12 | 18,000.00 |
| Sale of Town Property | 500.00 | 154.95 | 100.00 |
| From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes: | | | |
| (a) Poll Taxes -Regular@ $2 | 2,500.00 | 1,802.00 | 2,500.00 |
| (b) National Bank Stock Taxes | 16.00 | 16.00 | 16.00 |
| (c) Yield Taxes | 2,000.00 | 1,306.27 | 1,000.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES | $32,013.81 | $35,891.09 | $30,981.00 |
| AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROP. TAXES | | | 55,804.11 |
| TOTAL REVENUES | | | $86,785.11 |

FRED WALKER
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PAUL N. GUIMOND
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RUTGER BROEK, School Board
HOWARD BURBANK
ED. HIGGINS
CHARLES E. WOODBURY
Budget Committee

OF HOOKSETT NEW HAMPSHIRE
Ensuing Year January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957
with
Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1956
31, 1956

| PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES | Appropriations Previous Year 1956 | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1956 | Appropriations Recommended By Budget Committee 1957 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | |
| General Government: | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | $ 4,000.00 | $ 4,905.82 | $ 5,500.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 3,300.00 | 2,805.28 | 3,300.00 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 1,500.00 | 1,493.00 | 1,200.00 |
| Municipal Court Expenses | | | 875.00 |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs. | 1,250.00 | 1,337.57 | 1,250.00 |
| Protection of Persons and Property | | | |
| Police Department | 1,000.00 | 1,052.16 | 1,200.00 |
| Fire Department | 6,000.00 | 6,666.69 | 7,500.00 |
| Moth Exterm. -Blister Rust & Care of Trees | | | 292.00 |
| Insurance | 1,500.00 | 2,019.82 | 2,000.00 |
| Civil Defense | 800.00 | | 800.00 |
| Health: | | | |
| Health Department, Including Hospitals | 75.00 | 54.90 | 75.00 |
| Vital Statistics | 100.00 | 61.00 | 100.00 |
| Sewer Maintenance | 100.00 | | 100.00 |
| Town Dump and Garbage Removal | 4,000.00 | 4,159.94 | 5,200.00 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | |
| Town Maintenance - Summer | 10,500.00 | 10,572.13 | 11,000.00 |
| Town Maintenance - Winter | 8,500.00 | 9,051.50 | 11,000.00 |
| Street Lighting | 5,500.00 | 5,427.89 | 5,800.00 |
| General Expenses of Highway Department | 2,500.00 | 2,532.45 | 2,500.00 |
| Town Road Aid | 422.87 | 422.87 | 423.61 |
| With Holding Tax | | 1,433.20 | |
| Libraries | 350.00 | 471.71 | 500.00 |
| Public Welfare: | | | |
| Town Poor | 2,500.00 | 4,633.72 | 3,500.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | 5,500.00 | 4,560.70 | 5,000.00 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | |
| Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations | 200.00 | 197.77 | 200.00 |
| Aid to Soldiers and Their Families | 200.00 | 270.00 | 200.00 |
| Recreation: | | | |
| Parks and Playgrounds Incl. Band Concerts | 1,000.00 | 950.88 | 1,000.00 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | |
| Hydrants | 2,625.00 | 2,300.18 | 4,800.00 |
| Cemeteries | 1,200.00 | 1,406.03 | 1,200.00 |
| Unclassified: | | | |
| Pension Fund | | | 500.00 |
| Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage | 250.00 | 60.46 | 250.00 |
| Advertising and Regional Associations | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Employees' Retirement and Social Security | 750.00 | 796.38 | 850.00 |
| Interest: | | | |
| On Temporary Loans | 300.00 | 86.75 | 150.00 |
| On Long Term Notes | 200.00 | 221.97 | 200.00 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | |
| Town Construction - New | 2,800.00 | 2,886.57 | 1,600.00 |
| Resurfacing | 3,000.00 | 3,323.63 | 3,000.00 |
| New Lands and Buildings | | | 1,000.00 |
| New Equipment | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 | |
| Indebtedness: | | | |
| Payment on Principal of Dept.: | | | |
| Long Term Notes | 1,820.00 | 1,787.50 | 2,619.50 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | $75,042.87 | $79,250.47 | $86,785.11 |

## INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT

1956

| Description of Property | No. | Value |
|---|---|---|
| Lands and Buildings (Exclusive of Growing Wood and Timber) | | $2,025,165.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | | 80,200.00 |
| Electric Plants | | 596,795.00 |
| House Trailers Used as Dwellings | 29 | 14,320.00 |
| Petroleum and Gas Transmission Lines | | 23,800.00 |
| Stock in Trade | | 58,525.00 |
| Boats and Launches | 12 | 100.00 |
| Horses | 22 | 1,950.00 |
| Cows | 97 | 4,850.00 |
| Other Neat Stock | 3 | 150.00 |
| Sheep | 3 | 30.00 |
| Hogs | 25 | 280.00 |
| Fowls | 16,500 | 7,800.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks | 35 | 3,930.00 |
| Portable Mills | 6 | 83,200.00 |
| Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions allowed | | $2,901,095.00 |
| Less: Soldiers' Exemptions and Exemptions to the Blind | | 271,600.00 |
| Net Valuation on which tax rate is computed | | $2,629,459.00 |
| Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans | | 270,200.00 |
| Amount of property valuation exempted to blind | | 1,400.00 |
| Number of inventories distributed | | 1,100 |
| Number of inventories returned | | 761 |
| Number of veterans who received property exemption | | 274 |
| Number of veterans exempted from Poll Tax | | 327 |

## STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED - 1956

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Appropriations: | | |
| Town Officers Salaries | | $ 4,000.00 |
| Town Officers Expenses | | 3,300.00 |
| Social Security or Retirement | | 750.00 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | | 1,500.00 |
| Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance | | 1,250.00 |
| Police Department | | 1,000.00 |
| Fire Depts. | $5,500.00 | |
| Forest Fires | $ 500.00 | 6,000.00 |
| Civilian Defense | | 800.00 |
| Health Department | | 75.00 |
| Dump and Garbage Collection | | 4,000.00 |
| Vital Statistics | | 100.00 |
| Town Road Aid | | 422.87 |
| Town Maintenance: | | |
| Summer | $10,500. | |
| Winter | 8,500. | 19,000.00 |
| New Construction | | 5,800.00 |
| General Expenses of Highway Department | | 2,500.00 |
| Insurance | | 1,500.00 |
| Street Lighting | | 5,500.00 |
| Sewers | | 100.00 |
| New Equipment | | 1,200.00 |
| Libraries | | 350.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | | 5,500.00 |
| Town Poor | | 2,700.00 |
| Memorial Day | | 200.00 |
| Parks & Playgrounds | | 1,000.00 |
| Hydrants | | 2,625.00 |
| Cemeteries | | 1,200.00 |
| Surveying | | 250.00 |
| Damages and Legal Expenses inc. Dog Damages | | 250.00 |
| Advertising and Regional Associations | | 100.00 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Payments on Debt., | Prin.. $1,820. | | |
| | Int. $ 500. | | 2,320.00 |
| County Tax | | | 11,046.56 |
| School Tax | | | 143,148.82 |
| Total Town and School Appropriations | | | $ 229,488.25 |
| Less: | | | |
| Estimated Revenues and Credits: | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | | $ 2,702.01 | |
| Railroad Tax | | 215.00 | |
| Savings Bank Tax | | 100.00 | |
| Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Lands | | 50.00 | |
| Revenue from Yield Tax Sources | | 800.00 | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | | 16,500.00 | |
| Dog Licenses | | 750.00 | |
| Business Licenses and Permits | | 100.00 | |
| Fines and Forfeits - Municipal Court | | 750.00 | |
| Rent of Town Property and Equipment | | 1,450.00 | |
| Interest on Taxes and Income from Trust Funds | | 1,832.81 | |
| Misc. Refunds | | 1,250.00 | |
| Sale of Tax Deeded Property | | 500.00 | |
| Road Toll Refunds | | 350.00 | |
| Fighting Forest Fires | | 150.00 | |
| Reimbursements on OAA | | 1,000.00 | |
| Total Revenues And Credits | | | $ 28,499.82 |
| | | | $ 200,988.43 |
| Plus Overlay | | | 3,453.19 |
| Net Amount to be raised by Taxation | | | 204,441.62 |
| Less: Number 1292 of Poll Taxes at $2.00 | | 4,584.00 | |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | | 16.00 | 4,600.00 |
| Amount to be raised by property taxes | | | $ 199,841.62 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Taxes Committed to Collector: | |
| Property Taxes | $199,841.62 |
| Precinct Taxes | 13,152.56 |
| Poll Taxes | 4,584.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 16.00 |
| Total Taxes To Be Committed | $217,594.18 |

Tax Rates:

| | |
|---|---|
| Town | $7.60 |
| Village Water Precinct | .83 |
| Central Water Precinct | 1.60 |

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT
IN MERRIMACK COUNTY
For The Year Ended December 31, 1956

ASSETS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash | | |
| In Hands of treasurer | $45, 372.02 | |
| In hands of officials | 18.42 | |
| | | $45, 390.44 |
| Capital Reserve Funds: | | |
| Trust Funds | 938.28 | 938.28 |
| Accounts Due to the Town - | | |
| Due from State: | | |
| Gas Tax Refunds | 97.36 | 97.36 |
| Other bills due Town: | | |
| Miscellaneous Accts. | 606.47 | |
| Cemetery lots | 30.00 | 636.47 |
| Unredeemed Taxes: | | |
| Levy of 1955 | 724.61 | |
| Levy of 1954 | 254.45 | |
| Previous Years | 1, 398.94 | 2, 378.00 |
| Uncollected Taxes: | | |
| (a) Levy of 1956 | 20, 228.81 | |
| (b) Levy of 1955 | 746.73 | |
| (c) Levy of 1954 | 181.42 | |
| (d) Previous Years | 417.56 | |
| (e) State Head Taxes - Levy of 1956 | 2, 295.00 | |
| (f) State Head Taxes Previous Years | 25.00 | 23, 894.54 |
| Total Assets | | $73, 335.07 |

## LIABILITIES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Accounts Owed by the Town: | | |
| Spec. Appro. - Sand Traps | $ 415.92 | |
| Spec. Appro. - Vault | 75.69 | |
| Spec. Appro. - Land & Garage | 4.54 | |
| | | $ 496.15 |
| Due To State: | | |
| State Head Taxes - 1956 | | |
| Uncollected | 2,295.00 | |
| Collected - not remitted to State Treasurer | 505.00 | |
| | | 2,800.00 |
| Due to School Districts: | | |
| Balance of Appropriation | 63,070.50 | |
| | | 63,070.50 |
| Long Term Notes Outstanding: | | |
| Misery Hill | 1,000.00 | |
| Fire Trucks | 3,982.00 | |
| | | 4,982.00 |
| Total Liabilities | | $71,348.65 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus) | | 1,986.42 |
| Grand Total | | $73,335.07 |

## RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Current Revenue: | | |
| From Local Taxes: | | |
| ( Collected and remitted to Treasurer) | | |
| Property Taxes, current Year | $194, 978. 48 | |
| Poll Taxes , current year at $2. 00 | 1, 802. 00 | |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 16. 00 | |
| Yield Taxes | 1, 306. 27 | |
| State Head Taxes at $5. 00 | 5, 770. 00 | |
| Total current Year's Taxes collected and remitted | | $203, 872. 75 |
| Property Taxes and Yield Taxes Previous Years | | 28, 099. 09 |
| Poll Taxes, Previous Years at $2. 00 | | 650. 00 |
| State Head Taxes at $5. 00 Previous Years | | 2, 155. 00 |
| Interest received on Taxes | | 749. 62 |
| Penalties on State Head Taxes | | 247. 50 |
| Tax sales redeemed | | 610. 07 |

## PAYMENTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses: | | | |
| General Government: | | | |
| Town officer's salaries | | $ 4,905.82 | |
| Town officer's expenses | | 2,805.28 | |
| Election and registration expenses | | 1,493.00 | |
| Expenses town hall and other town buildings | | 1,337.57 | $10,541.67 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | |
| Police Department | | 1,052.16 | |
| Fire department, including forest fires | | 6,666.69 | |
| Damage by dogs | | 25.46 | |
| Insurance | | 2,019.82 | |
| | | | 9,764.13 |
| Health: | | | |
| Health department, including hospitals | | 54.90 | |
| Vital statistics | | 61.00 | |
| Town dumps and garbage removal | | 4,159.94 | 4,275.84 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | |
| Town Road Aid | | 422.87 | |
| Town Maintenance: | | | |
| Summer | $10,572.13 | | |
| Winter | 9,051.50 | | |
| WHT | 1,433.20 | 21,056.83 | |
| Street lighting | | 5,427.89 | |
| General Expenses of Highway Department | | 2,532.45 | 29,440.04 |

## RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| From State: | | |
| Interest and dividends tax | 2,702.01 | |
| Railroad Tax | 241.91 | |
| Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax | 174.85 | |
| Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands | 53.46 | |
| Refund on head tax | 106.67 | |
| Fighting forest fires | 174.21 | |
| Road Toll Refund | 416.80 | |
| Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance | 773.68 | |
| | | $4,643.59 |

## PAYMENTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Libraries: | | |
| Libraries | 471.71 | 471.71 |
| Public Welfare: | | |
| Old age assistance | 4,560.70 | |
| Town poor | 4,633.72 | |
| | | 9,194.42 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | |
| Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations | 197.77 | |
| Aid to soldiers and their families | 270.00 | 467.77 |
| Recreation: | | |
| Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts | 950.88 | 950.88 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | |
| Hydrants | 2,300.18 | |
| Cemeteries | 1,406.03 | |
| Surveying | 75.00 | 3,781.21 |
| Unclassified: | | |
| Damages and legal expenses | 35.00 | 35.00 |
| Advertising and Regional Associations | 100.00 | |
| Taxes bought by town | 721.61 | |
| Discounts, Abatements and Refunds | 4,863.41 | |
| Employees' Retirement and Social Security | 796.38 | |
| Total Current Maintenance Expenses | | $ 6,481.40 |

## RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| From Local Sources, Except Taxes: | | |
| Dog licenses | 878.00 | |
| Business licenses, permits and filing fees | 134.00 | |
| Fines and forfeits, municipal court | 640.00 | |
| Rent of town property | 312.50 | |
| Fighting forest fires | 124.40 | |
| Income from trust funds | 930.52 | |
| Income from departments | 1,653.38 | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1955 Permits | 356.79 | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1956 Permits | 18,005.33 | 23,034.92 |
| Total Current Revenue Receipts | | 264,062.54 |

## PAYMENTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Interest: | | | |
| Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | | 86.75 | |
| Paid on long term notes | | 221.97 | |
| Total Interest Payments | | | $ 308.72 |
| Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements: | | | |
| Highways and Bridges - Town construction - New | | 2,886.57 | |
| Resurfacing | | 3,323.63 | |
| Sp. App. Art. 16 | | 600.00 | |
| Lands and buildings - Other | | 1,495.46 | |
| New equipment | | | |
| Sp. App. Garbage Truck | $2,650.00 | | |
| Truck | 1,200.00 | | |
| | | 3,850.00 | |
| Total Outlay Payments | | | 12,155.66 |
| Indebtedness: | | | |
| Payments on Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | | 50,000.00 | |
| Payments on long term notes | | 1,787.50 | |
| Total Indebtedness Payments | | | 51,787.50 |
| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: | | | |
| State Head Taxes paid State Treas. | | | |
| 1956 Taxes | $6,337.50 | | |
| Prior Yrs. | 900.50 | | |
| | | 7,238.00 | |
| Taxes paid to County | | 11,046.56 | |
| Payment to Precincts | | 13,152.56 | |

## RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Receipts Other than Current Revenue: | | |
| Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year | $50,000.00 | |
| Long term notes during year | 2,700.00 | |
| Insurance adjustments | 26.04 | |
| Refunds | 3,936.24 | |
| Sale of town property | 154.95 | |
| Tax collector, to correct 1955 error | 7.57 | |
| Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue | | $ 56,824.80 |
| Total Receipts from All Sources | | 320,887.34 |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1956 | $16,577.75 | |
| March 16, 1956 | 11,520.66 | 28,098.41 |
| Grand Total | | $348,985.75 |

## PAYMENTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Payments to School Districts | | | |
| 1955 Tax | $46,000.00 | | |
| 1956 Tax | 75,000.00 | 121,000.00 | |
| Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions | | | 152,437.12 |
| Total Payments for all Purposes | | | 292,093.07 |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1956 | | $45,372.02 | |
| March 15, 1956 | | 11,520.66 | 56,892.68 |
| Grand Total | | | $348,985.75 |

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| Description | Value |
|---|---|
| Town Hall, Lands and Buildings | $ 14, 000.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 1, 000.00 |
| Libraries, Lands and Buildings | 3, 500.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 2, 000.00 |
| Police Department, Lands and Buildings | 1, 000.00 |
| Equipment | 1, 000.00 |
| Fire Department, Lands and Buildings | 16, 000.00 |
| Equipment | 28, 000.00 |
| Highway Department, Lands and Buildings | 1, 500.00 |
| Equipment | 15, 000.00 |
| Materials and Supplies | 2, 500.00 |
| Parks, Commons and Playgrounds | 2, 500.00 |
| Schools, Lands and Buildings | 175, 000.00 |
| Equipment | 7, 000.00 |
| All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds | |
| Kimball lot, 13 acres | 150.00 |
| Victor LeBlanc | 90.00 |
| Doris Brown, 8 acres Wheeler lot | 100.00 |
| James Hewey, homestead | 650.00 |
| Bessie Worrell land | 200.00 |
| Antoinette J. Wheeler, 16 acres | 250.00 |
| Austin heirs, sprout lot | 75.00 |
| Emma Richardson heirs, 30 acres | 300.00 |
| Annie G. Towle, 112 acres | 100.00 |
| 62 Old Gristmill lots | 1, 200.00 |
| Owner unknown, 2 lots | 300.00 |
| Henry Dargie, 70 acres, 2 lots | 100.00 |
| Dennis Morrisette, 20 acres | 200.00 |
| Total | $273, 715.00 |

## CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date February 25, 1957

OSCAR MORIN, JR.,
JAMES G. FOLLANSBEE,
LESLIE M. PIKE,
Selectmen

DOUGLAS A. BRISSON,
Treasurer

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
### Jan. 1, 1956 to Dec. 31, 1956

Receipts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1955 Auto permits | $ 356.79 | |
| 1956 Auto permits | 18,004.16 | $18,360.95 |
| 1955 Dog licenses | $ 2.50 | |
| 1956 Dog licenses | 875.50 | |
| Filing fees March election | 14.00 | |
| Filing fees Sept. Primary | 6.00 | 898.00 |
| Total Receipts | | $19,258.95 |

Payments to Treasurer

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1955 Auto permits | $ 356.79 | |
| 1956 Auto permits | 18,005.40 | |
| 1955 Dog licenses | 2.50 | |
| 1956 Dog licenses | 875.50 | |
| Filing fees March election | 14.00 | |
| Filing fees Sept. Primary | 6.00 | |
| Total Payments | | $19,260.19 |

Charles R. Hardy,
Town Clerk.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

### FROM JANUARY 1, 1956 TO DECEMBER 31, 1956

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **LEVY OF 1951** | | | | |
| Uncollected Property Tax | $ | 3.50 | | |
| Uncollected Poll Tax | | 2.00 | $ | 5.50 |
| **CREDITS** | | | | |
| Remitted to Treasurer: | | | | |
| Property Tax | | .50 | | |
| Abatement Property | | 3.00 | | |
| Abatement Poll | | 2.00 | $ | 5.50 |
| **LEVY OF 1952** | | | | |
| Uncollected Property Tax | $ | 97.13 | | |
| Uncollected Yield Tax | | 73.94 | | |
| Interest Collected | | 2.64 | $ | 173.71 |
| **CREDITS** | | | | |
| Remitted to Treasurer: | | | | |
| Property Tax | $ | 11.10 | | |
| Abatements: | | | | |
| Property Tax | | 86.03 | | |
| Yield Tax | | 73.94 | | |
| Interest Collected | | 2.64 | $ | 173.71 |
| **LEVY OF 1953** | | | | |
| Uncollected Property Tax | $ | 158.40 | | |
| Uncollected Yield Tax | | 382.94 | | |
| Uncollected Precinct Tax | | 1.00 | $ | 542.34 |
| **CREDITS** | | | | |
| Remitted to Treasurer: | | | | |
| Precinct | $ | 1.00 | | |
| Abatements: | | | | |
| Property | | 89.28 | | |
| Yield | | 34.50 | $ | 124.78 |
| Uncollected Property | | 69.12 | | |
| Uncollected Yield | | 388.44 | | 417.56 |
| | | | $ | 542.34 |

LEVY OF 1954

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Property Taxes | $ 626.38 | |
| Uncollected Poll Taxes | 18.00 | |
| Uncollected Yield Taxes | 167.67 | |
| Uncollected Precinct Taxes | 19.14 | |
| Interest Collected | 39.58 | $ 870.77 |

CREDITS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remitted to Treasurer: | | |
| Property Tax | $ 521.11 | |
| Poll Tax | 14.00 | |
| Yield Tax | 27.72 | |
| Precinct Tax | 19.14 | |
| Interest Collected | 39.58 | $ 621.55 |
| Abatements: | | |
| Property Tax | 63.80 | |
| Poll Tax | 4.00 | 67.80 |
| Uncollected Property | 41.47 | |
| Uncollected Yield | 139.95 | 181.42 |
| | | $ 870.77 |

LEVY OF 1955

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Property Taxes | $ 26,445.50 | |
| Uncollected Poll Taxes | 674.00 | |
| Uncollected Precinct - Village | 271.17 | |
| Uncollected Precinct - Central | 464.48 | |
| Uncollected Yield | 1,608.66 | $ 29,463.81 |
| Added Taxes: | | |
| Property | 17.63 | |
| Poll | 68.00 | 85.63 |
| Interest Collected | | 707.03 |
| | | $ 30,256.47 |

CREDITS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remitted to Treasurer: | | |
| Property Taxes | $ 25,279.70 | |
| Poll Taxes | 636.00 | |
| Precinct - Village | 264.27 | |
| Precinct - Central | 451.16 | |
| Yield | 1,523.38 | |
| Interest | 707.40 | $ 28,861.91 |
| Abatements: | | |
| Property | 559.86 | |
| Poll | 98.00 | 657.86 |

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|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Property | $ 623.57 | |
| Uncollected Poll | 8.00 | |
| Uncollected Yield | 85.28 | |
| Uncollected Precinct Village | 16.56 | |
| Uncollected Precinct Central | 13.32 | 746.73 |
| | | $ 30,266.50 |
| Overpayment to Treasurer | | 10.03 |
| | | $ 30,256.47 |

LEVY OF 1956

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Taxes committed to Collector: | | |
| Property Tax | $199,020.23 | |
| Poll Tax | 2,474.00 | |
| Precinct - Village | 5,334.06 | |
| Precinct - Central | 8,321.60 | |
| Yield | 1,419.00 | |
| National Bank Stock Tax | 16.00 | |
| Interest | 14.42 | $ 216,599.31 |
| Added Taxes: | | |
| Property Taxes | 551.66 | |
| Poll Taxes | 98.00 | |
| Precinct - Village | 53.95 | |
| Precinct - Central | 76.80 | 780.41 |
| | | $ 217,379.72 |

CREDITS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remitted To Treasurer: | | |
| Property Taxes | $177,710.79 | |
| Poll Taxes | 1,802.00 | |
| Precinct - Village | 4,934.02 | |
| Precinct - Central | 7,498.40 | |
| Yield | 1,306.27 | |
| National Bank Stock Tax | 16.00 | $ 193,267.48 |
| Discounts | | 2,633.74 |
| Abatements: | | |
| Property Taxes | 1,506.60 | |
| Poll Taxes | 72.00 | |
| Precinct - Village | 9.96 | |
| Precinct - Central | 12.80 | |
| Credits from Auto Tax on 2 Trailers | 79.91 | 1,231.27 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected Property Taxes | $ 18,090.85 | |
| Uncollected Poll Taxes | 694.00 | |
| Uncollected Precinct - Village | 444.03 | |
| Uncollected Precinct - Central | 887.20 | |
| Uncollected Yield | 112.73 | $ 20,228.81 |
| Interest & polls collected & not paid to Treasurer | | 18.42 |
| | | $ 217,379.72 |

HEAD TAX LEVY 1953

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected December 31, 1955 | $ 10.00 | |
| Abated | 10.00 | $ 20.00 |

HEAD TAX LEVY 1954

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected as of December 31, 1955 | 55.00 | |
| Penalties Collected | 5.00 | $ 60.00 |

CREDITS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remitted to Treasurer | | |
| Head Tax | $ 50.00 | |
| Penalties | 5.00 | $ 55.00 |
| Abatement | | 5.00 |
| | | $ 60.00 |

HEAD TAX LEVY 1955

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Uncollected as of December 31, 1955 | | |
| Head Taxes | $ 2,050.00 | |
| Added Names | 240.00 | |
| Penalties Collected | 210.50 | $ 2,500.50 |

CREDITS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remitted to Treasurer | | |
| Head Taxes | $ 2,105.00 | |
| Penalties Collected | 210.50 | $ 2,315.50 |
| Abated | $ 160.00 | |
| Uncollected as of December 31, 1956 | 25.00 | 185.00 |
| | | $ 2,500.50 |

HEAD TAX LEVY OF 1956

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Committed to Collector | | |
| Original Warrent | $ 7,995.00 | |
| Added Taxes | 225.00 | |
| Penalties Collected | 30.00 | $ 8,250.00 |

CREDITS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Remitted to Treasurer: | | |
| Head Taxes | $ 5,770.00 | |
| Penalties Collected | 30.00 | $ 5,800.00 |
| Abated | | |
| Head Taxes | $ 155.00 | |
| Uncollected as of December 31, 1956 | 2,295.00 | 2,450.00 |
| | | $ 8,250.00 |

## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES

## AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1956

| Levy of | 1955 | 1954 | 1953 | Previous |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Taxes Sold to the Town 1956 | $721.61 | | | |
| Balance Unredeemed Taxes as of December 31, 1955 | | $250.09 | $121.59 | $1248.04 |
| Interest collected after sale | 3.00 | 4.36 | 11.57 | 17.74 |
| | $724.61 | $254.45 | $133.16 | $1265.78 |
| CREDITS | | | | |
| Remitted to Treasurer | $362.90 | $ 68.81 | $ 85.57 | $ 94.79 |
| Abatements 1956 | | 105.66 | | 266.88 |
| Deeded to The Town | 22.13 | 20.47 | 18.88 | |
| Unredeemed as of December 31, 1956 | 339.58 | 59.51 | 28.71 | 904.11 |
| | $724.61 | $254.45 | $133.16 | $1265.78 |

Sarah M. Hardy,
Tax Collector

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Douglas A. Brisson, Treasurer
In account with Town of Hooksett, N.H. as of

March 16, 1956 to December 31, 1956

| | |
|---|---|
| Balance in Treasury March 16, 1956 | $11,520.66 |
| Received from State Treasurer: | |
| Gas Tax Refund | 343.73 |
| Reimbursement of Federal & State Forest Lands | 53.46 |
| Forest Fire Refund | 96.64 |
| State of N.H. Town Share of O. A. Recovery | 734.69 |
| Warden's Services | 51.08 |
| Warden's Training Meeting | 25.19 |
| Interest & Dividend Tax | 2,702.01 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 174.85 |
| Railroad Tax | 241.91 |
| 1954 Head Tax Reimbursement | 26.95 |
| 1956 Head Tax Reimbursement | 22.41 |
| Received from Charles R. Hardy, Town Clerk: | |
| 1955 Auto Taxes | 2.27 |
| 1956 Auto Taxes | 14,613.25 |
| 1955 Dog Taxes | 2.50 |
| 1956 Dog Taxes | 875.50 |
| .1956 Filing Fees | 20.00 |
| Received from Sarah M. Hardy, Tax Collector | |
| 1951 Property Taxes | .50 |
| 1951 Tax Sales Redeemed | 47.17 |
| 1952 Property Taxes | 11.10 |
| 1952 Interest | 2.64 |
| 1952 Tax Sales Redeemed | 47.62 |
| 1953 Tax Sales Redeemed | 85.57 |
| 1954 Poll Taxes | 14.00 |
| 1954 Property Taxes | 297.81 |
| 1954 Yielded Taxes | 27.72 |
| 1954 Interest | 25.07 |
| 1954 Precinct Taxes | 19.14 |
| 1954 Tax Sales Redeemed | 68.81 |
| 1954 Head Taxes | 45.00 |
| 1954 Head Tax Penalties | 4.50 |

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|---|---|
| Received from Sarah M. Hardy, Tax Collector | |
| 1955 Poll Taxes | 472.00 |
| 1955 Property Taxes | 12,605.68 |
| 1955 Precinct | 322.99 |
| 1955 Head Taxes | 1,535.00 |
| 1955 Head Tax Penalties | 155.50 |
| 1955 Interest | 510.46 |
| 1955 Tax Sales Redeemed | 360.90 |
| 1956 Poll Taxes | 1,802.00 |
| 1956 Property Taxes | 177,710.79 |
| 1956 Precinct | 12,432.48 |
| 1956 Head Taxes | 5,770.00 |
| 1956 Yielded Taxes | 1,306.27 |
| 1956 Head Tax Penalties | 30.00 |
| 1956 National Bank Stock Tax | 16.00 |
| 1956 Discounts | 2,633.74 |
| 1956 Abatements | 2,201.47 |
| Received for use of town truck, grader, pump, material & labor | 1,597.19 |
| Received from Lindsay Rice, Chief of Police | |
| 1956 Bicycle Permits | 85.00 |
| 1956 Dance Permits | 2.00 |
| Received from Charles Woodbury, Overseer of Poor | |
| For care of Meader children | 855.00 |
| For care of Steeves children | 600.00 |
| Refund from Albert Lessard | 2,149.34 |
| Refund from K. Murray | 5.00 |
| Refund from Faik Abaz | 150.00 |
| Received from Leo Hebert, Janitor for rent of town hall | 243.50 |
| Received for collecting garbage | 9.75 |
| Received from Selectmen | |
| Pistol Permits | 7.00 |
| Refund for Social Security | 8.00 |
| Refund on Insurance policies | |
| From Fremeau Agency | 26.04 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Received from Suncook Bank | |
| Note for town truck | 2,700.00 |
| Note for Anticipation of taxes | 50,000.00 |
| Refund from Public Service Co. | 11.90 |
| Received from Gerard Lambert for Telephone refund | 37.00 |
| Received for 1956 Junk License | 10.00 |
| Refund for Forest Fire | 124.40 |
| Received for cemetery lots | |
| In Martin's | 45.00 |
| In Head's | 52.50 |
| Received for care of cemetery lots | 25.00 |
| Received for 3 bags of Calcium Cloride | 8.25 |
| Received for 3 bags of Salt | 3.45 |
| Received from Judge William H. Head Court Fines from Jan. 1, 1956 to April 24, 1956 | 65.00 |
| Received from Judge Frank D. Cate Court Fines from April 24, 1956 to Dec. 31, 1956 | 575.00 |
| Total Receipts | 311,480.28 |
| Total Payments | 266,108.26 |
| Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1957 | 45,372.02 |

Douglas A. Brisson, Treasurer

Armand D. Labbe, Treasurer
In account with Town of Hooksett
January 1, 1956 to March 15, 1956

| | |
|---|---|
| Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1956 | $16,577.75 |
| Received from State Treasurer: | |
| Old Age Assistance refund (Annie Kimball) | 38.99 |
| Road Toll Refund | 73.07 |
| Forest Fire Refund | 1.30 |
| Head Tax Reimbursement | 41.31 |
| Received from Chas. Hardy, Town Clerk | |
| 1955 Auto Taxes | 354.52 |
| 1956 Auto Taxes | 3,392.15 |
| Received from Sarah M. Hardy, Tax Collector : | |
| 1953 Precinct Taxes | 1.00 |
| 1954 Taxes | 237.81 |
| 1954 Head Taxes & Penalties | 5.50 |
| 1955 Taxes | 13,034.97 |
| 1955 Yield Taxes | 1,523.38 |
| 1955 Precinct Taxes | 392.44 |
| 1955 Head Taxes & Penalties | 627.00 |
| Adjustment on 1955 account | 7.57 |
| Received from selectmen: | |
| Junk license | 10.00 |
| Sale of lot to Mrs. Blanche Morin | 25.00 |
| Received from Leon C. Boisvert, Trustee of trust funds: | |
| Trust Funds | 930.52 |
| Received from Chas. Woodbury, Overseer of Poor: | |
| Care of Meader children | 120.00 |
| Received from Leo Hebert, Janitor: | |
| Rent of Town Hall | 69.00 |
| Received from Collecting garbage: | 3.25 |
| Received for cemetery lot: | |
| Head's Cemetery | 15.00 |

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|---|---|---|
| Received for use of truck: | | 18.19 |
| Received for 5 bags of salt: | | 5.75 |
| | Total Receipts | $37,505.47 |
| | Total Payments | 25,984.81 |
| | Balance in Treasury March 15, 1956 | $11,520.66 |

Armand D. Labbe, Treasurer

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

### Town Officers Salaries.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Oscar A. Morin, Jr., Selectman | $ 500.00 | |
| James G. Follansbee, Selectman | 450.00 | |
| Leslie M. Pike, Selectman | 450.00 | |
| Douglas A. Brisson, Treasurer | 300.00 | |
| Charles R. Hardy, Town Clerk | 553.72 | |
| Sarah M. Hardy, Tax Collector | 1,898.90 | |
| Charles E. Woodbury, Overseer of Poor | 343.20 | |
| John B. Mulaire, Health Officer | 100.00 | |
| Rena B. Watson, Auditor | 125.00 | |
| Rachel A. LaFleur, Auditor | 125.00 | |
| Leon Boisvert, Trustee of Trust Funds | 20.00 | |
| Paul Guimond, Trustee of Trust Funds | 20.00 | |
| Anna Boisvert, Trustee of Trust Funds | 20.00 | |
| | | $ 4,905.82 |

### Town Officers Expenses

| | |
|---|---|
| Oscar A. Morin, Jr., Mileage, meals, etc., | $ 87.25 |
| James G. Follansbee, Mileage, meals, etc. | 71.50 |
| Leslie M. Pike, meals, etc. | 60.00 |
| Charles R. Hardy, Stamps, tel. ext., etc. | 739.63 |
| Sarah M. Hardy, Stamps, cost of sale, etc. | 103.25 |
| Douglas A. Brisson, Use of car and mileage | 22.00 |
| Charles E. Woodbury, Toll calls, stamps, etc. | 6.54 |
| Rena B. Watson, Clerk, stamps, supplies, etc. | 501.29 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies | 84.03 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., Supplies | 9.76 |
| Suburban Press, Printing letters, envelopes, etc. | 89.65 |
| B. P. M. Tebo, "Welcome to Hooksett" signs | 145.63 |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Katherine Crowley, Recording deeds, etc. | 97.65 | |
| Register of Probate, Listing estates | 1.00 | |
| Dennis St. Germaine, P.M., Envelopes & Stamps | 100.48 | |
| Granite State Office Equipment Co., supplies | 244.45 | |
| State Tax Commission, Copies of N. H. Laws | 20.00 | |
| Treas. State of N. H., copies of rules | 36.25 | |
| Sargent Brothers, Tax Bills & Envelopes | 60.60 | |
| Leon Jacobs, collecting dog licenses | 36.00 | |
| Wheeler & Clerk, Dog tags, book, etc. | 31.04 | |
| Ken Moore, Chairs | 20.00 | |
| Amoskeag Savings Bank, Box for Trust Fund books | 21.50 | |
| L.H. Hardy Book Bindery, Binding Town Records | 86.00 | |
| Planning Board, expense of meetings, printing, etc. | 56.88 | |
| New Hampshire Assessors Assn., dues | 3.00 | |
| New Hampshire Tax Collectors' Assn., dues | 3.00 | |
| Branham Publishing Co., | 9.50 | |
| U.S. Auto & Truck Guide | 7.50 | |
| Royal Press, Inc., Printing | 5.50 | |
| Fred L. Tower Co., N.H. Register | 15.40 | |
| Leo Hebert, supplies | 1.00 | |
| C.H. Robinson Co., Manila env. for reports | 13.00 | |
| The Lawyers Cooperative Publishing Co. | 15.00 | |
| | | $ 2,805.28 |

## Election and Registration

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Royal Press, Inc., Printing Town Reports | $ 668.50 | |
| Suburban Press, Printing ballots | 47.00 | |
| Ladies Aid Society, Meals | 105.00 | |
| Ken G. Moore, Chairs | 75.00 | |
| George A. Cook, Moderator | 45.00 | |
| Roland Levesque, Asst. Moderator | 30.00 | |
| Maurice Boisvert, Supervisor Check List | 90.00 | |
| Paul Bernard, Supervisor of Check List | 90.00 | |
| George Lavallee, Supervisor of Check List | 90.00 | |
| Leandre Lambert, Ballot Clerk | 25.00 | |
| Cora Hall, Ballot Clerk | 30.00 | |
| Lois Merrill, Ballot Clerk | 15.00 | |
| Charles E. Woodbury, Ballot Clerk | 20.00 | |
| Dorothy Squire, Ballot Clerk | 20.00 | |
| Emile Pichette, Ballot Clerk | 15.00 | |
| Jerry Lafond, Ballot Clerk | 10.00 | |
| Leon Boisvert, Asst. Ballot Clerk | 5.00 | |
| Richard Hemeon, Asst. Ballot Clerk | 5.00 | |
| Charles R. Hardy, Town Clerk, extra work | 30.00 | |
| Rena B. Watson, Asst. Town Clerk | 30.00 | |
| Sarah M. Hardy, Asst. Town Clerk | 20.00 | |
| Bernard Zapora, Police duty | 17.50 | |
| Robert Zapora, Police duty | 10.00 | |
| | | $ 1,493.00 |

## Town Hall and other Buildings

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Janitor service | $ 300.00 | |
| Water rates | 30.00 | |
| Public Service Co., of N. H. | 218.61 | |
| Fuel Oil | 557.49 | |
| Century Plumbing & Heating Co. | 12.50 | |
| Fuller Brush Co. | 50.33 | |
| Labor and supplies | 168.64 | |
| | | $ 1,337.57 |

## Special Appropriation, Art. 11 '55.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Boston & Maine R.R., land | $ 550.00 | |
| Labor & Materials on garage | 945.46 | |
| | | $ 1,495.46 |

## Police Department

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Payrolls, mileage and supplies | $ 1,052.16 | |
| Credit due from Bicycle permits | 85.00 | |
| | | $ 967.16 |

## Fire Department No. 1

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Payrolls, lights, gas & oil, telephones & supplies | $ 2,533.04 | |
| Credit by refund on telephone | 37.00 | |
| | | $ 2,496.04 |

## Fire Department No. 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Payrolls, telephones, lights, gas & oil & supplies | $ 2,342.89 | |
| Puchase of land, note & interest | 982.50 | |
| | | $ 3,325.39 |

## Forest Fires

| | |
|---|---|
| George A. Cook, Fire Warden, Payrolls, supplies etc. | $ 808.26 |
| Credit by payments from State | 298.61 |
| | $ 509.65 |

## Health Department

| | |
|---|---|
| John B. Mulaire, Health Officer | $ 54.90 |

## Insurance

| | |
|---|---|
| Town Officers bonds, insurance on buildings men and trucks | $ 2,019.82 |

## Vital Statistics

| | |
|---|---|
| Charles R. Hardy | $ 61.00 |

## Garbage

| | |
|---|---|
| Payrolls for the year | $ 4,159.94 |
| Withholding Tax | 33.90 |
| | $ 4,193.84 |
| Credit by cash received | 13.00 |
| | $ 4,180.84 |

## Town Maintenance

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Summer | $10,572.13 | |
| Winter | 9,048.50 | |
| Resurfacing | 3,323.63 | |
| Withholding Tax | 1,301.30 | |
| | | $ 24,245.56 |

## Credits

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Use of Grader, trucks, etc. | $ 1,615.38 | |
| Road Toll Refund | 416.80 | |
| Sale of Salt | 17.45 | |
| | | 2,049.63 |
| | | $ 22,195.93 |

## Street Lights

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Public Service Co. of N. H. | $ 5,355.89 | |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | 72.00 | |
| | | $ 5,427.89 |

## General Expenses, Highway Dept.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Tires, repairs for Trucks and Grader | | $ 2,532.45 |

## Surveying

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Frank M. Chapman | | $ 75.00 |

## Libraries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| James G. Follansbee, Trustee, Town grant | $ 350.00 | |
| Received from Trustees of Trust funds | 97.71 | |
| Received as refund on insurance | 24.50 | |
| | | $ 471.71 |

## Public Welfare

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Old Age Assistance | $ 4,560.70 | |
| Town Poor | 4,633.72 | |
| Soldiers Aid | 270.00 | |
| | | $ 9,464.42 |

## Credits

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Refunds on Old Age Assistance | $ 733.68 | |
| Reimbursements on Town cases | 3,879.34 | 4,653.02 |
| | | $ 4,811.40 |

## Memorial Day Celebration

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Grave markers, flags flowers and band for Memorial Day | | $ 197.77 |

## Parks and Playgrounds

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Labor and supplies for Village and Lincoln Park | | $ 950.88 |

## Hydrant Rentals

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Manchester Water Works | $ 950.00 | |
| Hooksett Village Water Precinct | 1,125.00 | |
| Hooksett Central Water Precinct | 225.18 | |
| | | $ 2,300.18 |

## Cemeteries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Labor, supplies and repairs to mowers | $ 1,406.03 | |
| Withholding Tax | 100.00 | |
| | | $ 1,506.03 |

## Credits

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Income from Trust Funds | $930.52 | | |
| Sale and care of Cemetery Lots | 137.50 | 1,068.02 | $ 338.01 |

## Damages and Legal Expenses

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Woodbury & Woodbury, legal aid | $ 35.00 | |
| George A. Cook, chickens killed by dogs | 5.46 | |
| Carroll Johnson, hens killed by dogs | 20.00 | |
| | | $ 60.46 |

## Taxes bought by Town

| | |
|---|---|
| Sarah M. Hardy, Tax Collector | $ 721.61 |

## Discounts and abatements

| | |
|---|---|
| Sarah M. Hardy, Tax Collector | $ 4,835.21 |
| Francis Cullen, refund on 1955 Tax | 28.20 |
| | $ 4,863.41 |

## Interest

| | |
|---|---|
| The Suncook Bank | $ 308.72 |

## Town Road Aid

| | |
|---|---|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire | $ 422.87 |

## New Construction

| | |
|---|---|
| Labor and materials | $ 2,886.57 |

## Merrimack Valley Regional Association

| | |
|---|---|
| Special Appropriation | $ 100.00 |

## Social Security

| | |
|---|---|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire | $ 796.38 |

## Special Appropriations

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Art. 9 - Replacement of Town Truck | 2,650.00 | |
| Art. 10 - Load-pack unit for garbage collecting | 1,200.00 | |
| Art. 16 - Dishes, cooking utensils and silver | 600.00 | |
| | | $ 4,450.00 |

## Temporary Loans

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| The Suncook Bank | | $ 50,000.00 |

## Long Term Notes

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| The Suncook Bank | | $ 1,787.50 |

## Payments to Governmental Divisions

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Treasurer of Merrimack County, County Tax | | $ 11,046.56 |

## Water Precincts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Hooksett Village Precinct | $ 5,305.36 | |
| Central Precinct | 7,847.20 | |
| | | $ 13,152.56 |

## State Head Taxes

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire | | $ 7,238.00 |

## School Board

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Helen W. Courser, Treasurer 1955 - 1956 | $46,000.00 | |
| Helen W. Courser, Treasurer 1956 - 1957 | 75,000.00 | |
| | | $121,000.00 |

## REPORT OF THE ROAD AGENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

I herewith submit for your approval my twenty-fourth annual report as Road Agent for the year ending December 31, 1956.

The rubbish collecting has increased during this year so that we are picking up from 705 families and 56 business places.

On August 8, 1956 we received the Mack Truck and Carwood Load Packer from the city of Concord. The average weekly hours picking up with the Dodge Dump Truck for 32 weeks from January 1, 1956 to August 11, was 22 hours per week with travel mileage of 167 miles, while the average weekly hours with the load packer was 17 hours per week with travel mileage of 89 miles. The cost per family for the year was .09 per week and for the business places .36 per week, the cost of digging and covering dump was $1.34 per day. The present dump site will be fully used by 1958.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Materials | $ 76.83 | |
| Trucking and Bulldozer | 414.75 | |
| Labor | 3,668.36 | |
| Withholding Tax | 33.90 | |
| | $4,193.84 | |
| Credit | 13.00 | |
| Total Spent | | $4,180.84 |

Winter Maintenance

We used 39 tons of salt and 150 tons of sand in maintenance of winter roads.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Materials | 1,801.54 | |
| Trucks and Snow Plows | 1,913.05 | |
| Labor | 5,333.91 | |
| Withholding Tax | 675.30 | |
| | | $9,723.80 |

Summer Maintenance

We used 565 tons of crush gravel, 37 tons of crush stone, built 4 manholes and laid 184 feet of culvert pipe. There are now 82 manholes and 248 culverts to be maintained by the town.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Materials | 5,732.70 | |
| Trucks and Tractor Mowers | 1,183.80 | |
| Labor | 3,655.63 | |
| Withholding Tax | 547.20 | |
| | | $11,119.33 |

For work done outside of highway maintenance:

Receipts

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Truck and Grader | $1,615.38 | |
| Road Toll Refund | 416.80 | |
| Sale of Salt | 17.45 | |
| | | $2,049.63 |

Materials on hand January 1, 1957

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salt | 645.00 | |
| Grader and Trucks Tires | 410.00 | |
| Cutting edges for Grader and Plows | 180.00 | |
| Grader and Truck Supplies | 267.00 | |
| Culvert Pipe | 60.00 | |
| | | $1,562.00 |

Surface Treatment Appropriation

We used 13, 278 gallons of M.C. 3 at the rate of .3 gallons per square yard, 207 tons of plant mix asphalt and 215 tons of sand for cover which treated 4.47 miles of road.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Materials | $2,658.68 | |
| Trucks | 108.05 | |
| Labor | 556.90 | |
| Withholding Tax | 78.80 | |
| | | $3,402.43 |

New Construction

T.R.A. and Town appropriation was used to Black top:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| North Reading Street | 700 feet | |
| South Elm Avenue | 600 feet | |
| Benton Road | 475 feet | |
| Harvard Street | 1056 feet | |
| Dartmonth Street | 1056 feet | |
| A Total of | .717 miles | |
| T.R.A. | 422.87 | |
| Materials | 1,879.23 | |
| Trucks | 363.45 | |
| Labor | 643.89 | |
| | | $3,309.44 |

Forest Fires

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Supplies | 74.34 | |
| Labor | 733.92 | |
| | 808.26 | |
| Refunds from State of N. H. | 298.61 | |
| | | $ 509.65 |

Trucks and Grader Maintenance and Gasoline

| | |
|---|---|
| Grader | $1,468.48 |
| Dodge Dump Truck | 824.79 |
| Mack Truck Load Packer | 223.22 |

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|---|---|
| Cost of Grader Operation per hour | $3.75 |
| Cost of Dump Truck | .85 |
| Cost of Rubbish Truck | 1.13 |

Parks and Playgrounds

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Materials | $ 859.63 | |
| Labor | 91.25 | |
| | | $ 950.88 |

Cemeteries

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Materials | $ 335.06 | |
| Labor | 1,070.97 | |
| Withholding Tax | 100.00 | |
| | $1,506.03 | |

Credits

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Trust Funds and Labor | $955.52 | | |
| Sale of Lots | 112.50 | | |
| | | $1,068.02 | |
| | | | $ 438.01 |

Highway Department Inventory

1956 Dodge Dump Truck
1953 Anderson Snow Plow
1948 Austin Western Grader
1948 Austin Western Bulldozer Blade
1948 Austin Western Snow Plow and Wing
1948 Mack Truck Load Packer
1943 Garage Type Sander
1930 Good Roads Snow Plow

GEORGE A. COOK
Road Agent

# Trust Funds

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N. H. ON DECEMBER 31, 1956

| Date of Creation | Name of Trust Fund | Purpose of Trust Fund | How Invested | Amount of Principal | Balance Beginning Year | Income During Year | | Expended During Year | Balance End Year |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | Percent | Amount | | |
| 1900 | Hannah Farmer | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1902 | Laura A. Davis | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1903 | Amos G. Prescott | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1906 | Nettie Goodale Kent | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1909 | Eliza A. Buswell | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 500.00 | 60.00 | 3¼ | 18.35 | 28.35 | 50.00 |
| 1910 | Mary J. McAfee | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1911 | Mary J. Bingham | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 29.00 | 3¼ | 7.49 | 12.49 | 24.00 |
| 1914 | Adelia A. Davis | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 10.00 | 3¼ | 6.87 | 11.87 | 5.00 |
| 1915 | Elsie M. Gordon | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1915 | Joseph M. Lewis | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1916 | Georgia A. Rose | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 43.00 | 3¼ | 7.95 | 10.95 | 40.00 |
| 1916 | Marie A. Craig | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1917 | Johnathan E. Kimball | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1920 | E. S. Edmunds | | Franklin Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3 | 3.02 | 3.02 | .00 |
| 1920 | John A. Littlefield | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 150.00 | 10.00 | 3¼ | 5.23 | 10.23 | 5.00 |
| 1921 | Orvilla Aldrich | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1921 | William O. Gordon | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1922 | William W. Colby | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1922 | Arah W. Prescott | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1922 | Prescott Library Grounds | Library | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1922 | S. S. Wiggin | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1922 | Nelson O. Bean | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1923 | James B. Ordway | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1923 | Edward M. DuDevoir | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1923 | Jesse Gault | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1923 | Frank C. Towle | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1924 | Mary J. Lawrence | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1924 | Juliet Porter | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1924 | Micheal J. D. Murphy | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 17.00 | 3¼ | 7.11 | 14.11 | 10.00 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1926 | Edmund J. Langley | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1926 | Linda L. Wentworth | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1926 | Alexander H. Converse | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1926 | Mary Jane Albert | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1926 | Wyatt W. Kelly | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1926 | John I. Otterson | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1927 | George A. Colby | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1927 | Charles A. Beauregard | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1927 | Hattie N. West | | Manchester Savings Bank | 129.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.23 | 4.23 | .00 |
| 1927 | Hannah Augusta Farmer | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 5.00 | 3¼ | 6.71 | 11.71 | .00 |
| 1929 | Curtis E. Dalton | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1929 | Mary J. McLaughlin | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1929 | Julia E. Chase | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1929 | John L. McIntire | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1929 | John H. Farnham | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1930 | William Head | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1930 | Charles Colby | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 30.00 | 3¼ | 7.53 | 12.53 | 25.00 |
| 1930 | Henry F. Kimball | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | 10.00 | 3¼ | 3.59 | 8.59 | 5.00 |
| 1931 | Arthur A. Kimball | | Manchester Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1932 | Elma S. Huse | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 250.00 | 10.00 | 3¼ | 8.52 | 13.52 | 5.00 |
| 1932 | Josie Elliott Corliss | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1932 | Peter C. Kimball | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1933 | Hannah Almon | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1933 | Aurie McDonnell | | Manchester Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1934 | Kathryn Morill Brown | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1934 | Edward W. Fowler | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 40.00 | 3¼ | 7.85 | 12.85 | 35.00 |
| 1935 | Helen P. Eastman | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1935 | McAfee Library Fund | Library | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 1,000.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 32.76 | 32.76 | .00 |
| 1935 | Ida B. McAfee | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1935 | Jennie I. Fowler | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1935 | Henry R. Page | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | 20.00 | 3¼ | 7.20 | 12.20 | 15.00 |
| 1935 | William H. Robinson | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1935 | Samuel Head | | Manchester Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1936 | Charles B. Rogers | | Suncook Savings Bank | 200.00 | 5.00 | 3¼ | 6.78 | 9.78 | 2.00 |
| 1936 | Rebecca Rowe | | Manchester Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.91 | 4.91 | .00 |
| 1936 | Walter H. Summersby | | Manchester Savings Bank | 250.00 | 20.00 | 3¼ | 8.84 | 13.84 | 15.00 |
| 1937 | Henry C. White | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1937 | Susan Summersby | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 30.00 | 3¼ | 7.53 | 12.53 | 25.00 |
| 1937 | Martha A. Carbee | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1937 | George E. Gordon | | Suncook Savings Bank | 150.00 | 5.00 | 3¼ | 5.14 | 8.14 | 2.00 |
| 1937 | Edwin A. Tyrell | | Manchester Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1938 | Charles A. Bailey | | Manchester Savings Bank | 150.00 | 5.00 | 3¼ | 5.07 | 10.07 | .00 |
| 1938 | George W. Fowler | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N. H. ON DECEMBER 31, 1956

| Date of Creation | Name of Trust Fund | Purpose of Trust Fund | How Invested | Amount of Principal | Balance Beginning Year | Income During Year | | Expended During Year | Balance End Year |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | Percent | Amount | | |
| 1938 | Mary E. Fuller and Betsy A. Verrill | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 125.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.09 | 4.09 | .00 |
| 1939 | Scott S. Eastman | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 125.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.09 | 4.09 | .00 |
| 1939 | Rebecca D. Tarlton | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 500.00 | 5.00 | 3¼ | 16.55 | 21.55 | .00 |
| 1939 | George W. Clark | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.91 | 4.91 | .00 |
| 1939 | Louis F. Smith | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1939 | Friendship Lodge I.O.O.F. No. 19 | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1940 | Arthur D. Brown | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1940 | Thomas Walker | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 175.00 | 3.00 | 3¼ | 5.82 | 8.82 | .00 |
| 1940 | Linda S. Varney | | Suncook Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2.00 | 3¼ | 6.70 | 8.70 | .00 |
| 1940 | Charles S. Clark | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1940 | Hugh A. Hill and Fred C. Abbott | | Suncook Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.99 | 4.99 | .00 |
| 1940 | Richard A. Lantry | | Suncook Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.99 | 4.99 | .00 |
| 1941 | George A. Robie | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1941 | George C. Dutton | | Suncook Savings Bank | 200.00 | 7.00 | 3¼ | 6.86 | 8.86 | 5.00 |
| 1941 | Woodbury Davison | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1942 | P. E. Crooker | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1942 | Amos Rowell | | Suncook Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.99 | 4.99 | .00 |
| 1942 | Elnora A. Jones | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 50.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| 1943 | John C. Dutton Library Fund | Library | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 955.71 | .00 | 3¼ | 31.30 | 31.30 | .00 |
| 1943 | John C. Dutton | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 955.71 | 40.00 | 3¼ | 32.60 | 37.60 | 35.00 |
| 1943 | J. Hollis Morgan | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1943 | Maude E. Soule | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1944 | Dr. Horace Gage | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1944 | Charles Emery | | Suncook Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.99 | 4.99 | .00 |
| 1944 | Alice M. Gray | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1944 | Samuel Head Jr. | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1944 | John A. Cate | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | N.H. Savings Bank | 300.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 9.82 | 9.82 | .00 |
| 1945 | W.H. Wilcox | | Manchester Savings Bank | 400.00 | 3.00 | 3¼ | 8.27 | 11.27 | .00 |
| 1945 | Joel Lund | | Suncook Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.30 | 3.30 | .00 |
| 1945 | Joseph M. Slater | | Suncook Savings Bank | 175.00 | 3.00 | 3¼ | 5.92 | 8.92 | .00 |
| 1946 | Peter Rowell | | Manchester Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.91 | 4.91 | .00 |
| 1946 | John Gault | | Manchester Savings Bank | 300.00 | 13.00 | 3¼ | 10.26 | 13.26 | 10.00 |
| 1946 | Frank E. Cox Library Fund | Library | Suncook Savings Bank | 1,000.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 32.99 | 32.99 | .00 |
| 1948 | Fred Stevens | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Manchester Savings Bank | 300.00 | 15.00 | 3¼ | 10.32 | 15.32 | 10.00 |
| 1948 | Arthur B. Pitman | | Manchester Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.91 | 4.91 | .00 |
| 1948 | Enoch N. Ela | | Manchester Savings Bank | 175.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 5.72 | 5.72 | .00 |
| 1949 | Edgar F. Carr | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 8.00 | 3¼ | 6.81 | 9.81 | 5.00 |
| 1950 | Emma G. Flanders | | Capital Stock #447726 5 shares Amer. Tel. & Tel. | 500.00 | 92.00 | Stk. | 83.13 | 85.13 | 90.00 |
| 1951 | Charles Everett | | Manchester Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2.00 | 3¼ | 3.33 | 5.33 | .00 |
| 1951 | Charles R. Smith | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | 7.00 | 3¼ | 6.77 | 8.77 | 5.00 |
| 1951 | Edward Cox | | Manchester Savings Bank | 300.00 | 10.00 | 3¼ | 10.16 | 15.16 | 5.00 |
| 1951 | Hooksett School District Capital Reserve Fund | Schools | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 1,152.25 | 130.84 | 3¼ | 42.03 | .00 | 172.87 |
| 1952 | Fred N. Clark | Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lot | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1952 | William H. Mitchell | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1952 | Abraham Mitchell | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1952 | Daniel W. Garland | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1952 | Earl Searl Smith | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 400.00 | 15.00 | 3¼ | 13.58 | 18.58 | 10.00 |
| 1953 | Stephen C. Eastman | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 75.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 2.46 | 2.46 | .00 |
| 1953 | Natt Otterson | | Manchester Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1953 | Joseph Goss | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1953 | Dr. Theodore M. Togus | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.91 | 4.91 | .00 |
| 1954 | Elmer P. Spaulding | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 4.91 | 4.91 | .00 |
| 1955 | Wesley E. Tyrell | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 300.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 9.82 | 9.82 | .00 |
| 1955 | T. W. Knight | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1955 | George W. Robie | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 100.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 3.27 | 3.27 | .00 |
| 1955 | William A. Crawford | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 200.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 6.55 | 6.55 | .00 |
| 1956 | Hiram H. Rowe | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 150.00 | .00 | 3¼ | .81 | .81 | .00 |
| 1956 | Clara Belle Rowell | | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 300.00 | .00 | 3¼ | 1.62 | 1.62 | .00 |
| | | | | 23,342.66 | 704.84 | | 844.31 | 938.28 | 610.87 |

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LEON BOISVERT,
ANNA M. BOISVERT,
PAUL N. GUIMOND,
Trustees.

## REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT NO. 1
## FOR 1956.

This Department responded to a total of 17 calls for the year:

4 chimney fires
7 Brush Fires
1 Shed Fire
5 Electrical (outside)

### RECEIPTS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Department Appropriation | $2,500.00 | |
| Refund | 37.50 | |
| | | $2,537.50 |

### EXPENSES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Building Maintenance | $ 361.90 | |
| Truck Maintenance | 209.91 | |
| Lights | 34.53 | |
| Heat | 327.55 | |
| Telephone | 432.32 | |
| Water Precinct | 26.00 | |
| New Equipment | 933.39 | |
| Payroll and Janitor | 79.75 | |
| Miscellaneous | 117.69 | |
| | | $2,533.04 |

The annual Firemen's Ball and raffle was held again this year and was very successful and the sum of $500.00 was realized. This will be used to add new equipment to the Department.

All members of this Department wish to extend their sincere thanks to all who helped to make this year a successful one.

GERARD LAMBERT,
Fire Chief, Dept. No. 1

Telephone Hunter (HU) 5-9822
Red phone (HU) 5-9561

## SOUTH HOOKSETT FIRE DEPARTMENT

This department is pleased to report that a total of only 26 calls were answered for the year 1956, showing a decrease of 9 calls over 1955. All fires were of minor nature and loss of property was very low.

4 Auto or Truck Fires
10 Brush and Grass Fires
3 Chimney Fires
1 Oil Burner Fire
1 Building Fire
1 Minor Interior Bldg. Fire
1 Rescue
5 Miscellaneous Calls

EXPENDITURE OF APPROPRIATION BREAKDOWN:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Appropriation 1956 | | $3,000.00 |
| Expenditures | | |
| Public Service Co. | 118.42 | |
| Manchester Water Works | 20.00 | |
| Heating of Building | 278.05 | |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 211.27 | |
| Gas & Oil for Trucks | 93.48 | |
| Subscriptions | 43.82 | |
| Maintenance of Trucks | 102.25 | |
| Maintenance of Building | 65.07 | |
| Payrolls | 223.75 | |
| Miscellaneous Items | 36.18 | |
| Land | 195.00 | |
| Payment on New Truck | 787.50 | |
| New Equipment | 716.13 | |
| Ceiling for Station | 123.39 | |
| Improvements to Alarm System | 211.08 | |
| Total Expenditures | | 3,325.39 |
| Expenditures over 1956 Budget | | $ 325.39 |

Through the fine cooperation of the members and the Ladies Auxiliary this department was again very successful in their fund raising activities. Showing a net income of funds raised in the amount of $ 1,642.88 as follows:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Ladies Auxiliary 4th Annual Valentine Dance | 201.08 | |
| Fire Department 4th Annual Lawn Party | 1,009.60 | |
| 4th Annual Christmas Raffle | 119.00 | |
| Sale of 3000 Gallon Tanker | 300.00 | |
| Donations from Members | 13.20 | |
| | 1,642.88 | |
| Plus Unexpended Balance | 127.55 | |
| Total Income 1956 | | 1,770.43 |

The following purchases were made from the above funds:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Motorola mobile radio set, complete w/speaker and microphone | 468.27 | |
| 300 feet 1 1/2 inch Double Jacket hose coupled, 600 lb. test. | 242.92 | |
| New Addition to fire station | 930.00 | |
| Miscellaneous Items | 5.98 | |
| Total Expenditures | | 1,647.17 |
| Unexpended Balance December 31,1956 | | $ 123.26 |

We are very proud of our new addition which was built completely by the members. This addition is 18 feet by 28 feet, has an acoustical ceiling, an asphalt tile floor and has complete kitchen facilities. It also houses the main station radio desk and the Chief's desk. Capt. Leon C. Boisvert and Lt. Roland E. Levesque were in charge of the building committee.

Anyone wishing to visit our station are welcomed to do so on Friday evenings through out the year.

Note: Permits for operation of power oil burners, which are required by law, may be obtained from Capt. Ralph W. Page, Fire Department Inspector, R.F.D. #1 Box 184, Tel. 2-7579.

MAURICE BOISVERT
Chief

Home Phone 2-0702
Fire Phone 5-7571

## THE VOLUNTEER FIREMAN

In any suburban Town in the United States the routine of the day or the silence of the night may be broken by the wail of the fire siren or the blast of the fire horn.

Jack the milkman, Joe the baker, Tom the Grocer, at the first sound will stop his work, run to his car and proceed to his respective fire station, put on his equipment and be off to the fire, be it a grass fire, a house burning, or the scene of a disaster. He is the first to think of his neighbor's loss and the last to think of his own loss of time and in some cases loss of life and limb. This is the neighborly way, the way a community is built, the way America has bound her people together. This is only one of the several duties of the volunteer fireman. He is also a fire inspector, giving his free time to make inspections to prevent the various causes of fire. He attends fire schools. These classes of instruction are given so that he will constantly be informed of the new ways of combatting fire losses. A great asset to the community is the rescue company. These men perform a great service in a quiet way.

The executive branch of this massive machine keeps the volunteer busy also, making the fire laws in his respective community. This means many meetings and the loss of his time from family and recreation. It is not humanly possible to put a figure on the hours or the effort that is put into all these deeds. Thus, we give to these men the name they so well deserve:

THE VOLUNTEER FIREMAN

## YOUR TOWN DUMP

USE IT FREELY CARE FOR IT

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Your town dump has been set up for your personal convenience. It provides a suitable place where you can dispose of the large amounts of dangerous, inflammable waste material and other useless items which accumulate around your household and local stores, brush, etc., cut on your property. The town dump has become a valuable and indispensable asset in modern community life.

The most successful town dumps are supervised - regular days provided for their used and inflammable material consistently burned. The town dump which receives no attention, where waste material is scattered about without supervision of any description, soon becomes a community menace and a liability rather than an asset.

Many people still burn debris around their homes. A large number of such fires get out of control causing unnecessary damage and expense to the burner. Why burn at home? Make use of your town dump and eliminate the hazard of burning. It will be easier for you - personally and financially.

If however, you do burn on your premises

1. Secure a permit from your local forest fire warden - the law requires it. The warden won't refuse you if conditions are safe.

2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning. Don't leave it.

3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.

Save yourself much possible difficulty.

USE YOUR DUMP FREELY HELP KEEP IT SAFE

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| | |
|---|---|
| Number of local fires | 14 |
| Number of acres burned | 23 3/4 |
| Number of permits issued | 152 |

THOMAS J. KING
District Fire Chief

GEORGE A. COOK
Forest Fire Warden

## POLICE DEPARTMENT
Report for 1956

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | Personnel payroll | |
| Lindsay H. Rice | $160.75 | |
| Robert Zapora | 164.25 | |
| Bernard Zapora | 109.00 | |
| Homer Enderson | 123.00 | |
| Leon Jacobs | 146.00 | |
| Maurice Boisvert | 91.75 | |
| Albert Bullard | 42.25 | |
| Edward Plourde | 5.00 | $842.00 |
| | Purchases & Expenses | |
| Bicycle Licenses | $99.00 | |
| Badges | 36.44 | |
| Report Forms | 14.37 | |
| Telephone Expense | 17.65 | |
| Lockup fees & Exams | 15.00 | |
| Misc. | 27.70 | $210.16 |
| Total expenditures | | $1,052.16 |
| Credit for bicycle permits | | 85.00 |
| Net expenditures of Department | | $967.16 |

L. H. Rice, Chief

## HOOKSETT MUNICIPAL COURT
## FRANK D. CATE, JUSTICE

April 24th through December 31, 1956

| | |
|---|---|
| Total number of cases | 138 |
| Total fines and fee | $2,160.50 |
| Total due town | 575.00 |
| Total due State | 1,336.50 |
| Total Miscellaneous account | 154.00 |

$95.00 on mitt. 9/14/56

Complaints Disposed Of

| | |
|---|---|
| Speeding | 35 |
| Yellow Line | 26 |
| Without License | 10 |
| Careless and Negligent | 20 |
| Non Inspection | 7 |
| Unregistered Vehicles and Misuse of plates | 5 |
| Driving while intoxicated | 8 |
| Driving after susp. or revocation | 9 |
| Leaving Scene of Accident | 4 |
| Disobeying Officer | 3 |
| Stop Sign | 2 |
| Failing to Keep Right | 1 |
| Truck Overload | 1 |
| Non Support | 2 |
| Assault | 2 |
| Larceny | 2 |
| L & T Writ | 1 |

FRANK D. CATE,
Justice.

HOOKSETT MUNICIPAL COURT

January 1, 1956 ---------- April 24, 1956

Fines. $65.00

WILLIAM H. HEAD
Justice.

TOWN OF HOOKSETT
TO
JOHN B. MULAIRE HEALTH OFFICER

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | Salary | $100.00 |
| Paid for | Measles & Scarlet Fever | 15.00 |
| | Burial of nuisances | 23.50 |
| | Testing Water & Express | 16.40 |
| | Total | $154.90 |

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR

CHARLES E. WOODBURY

January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

### ALIEN OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

### AID TO TOTALLY DISABLED

All of the above programs being financed by Federal, State and Town Appropriations.

Town's share to finance programs for local recipients.

| | |
|---|---|
| | $4,560.70 |
| Refunds on A.O.A. cases | 773.68 |
| | $3,787.02 |

### TOWN POOR AND CARE OF CHILDREN

| | |
|---|---|
| | $4,633.72 |
| Reimbursements | 3,879.34 |
| | $ 754.38 |

### SOLDIERS' AID

$ 270.00

## ARAH W. PRESCOTT LIBRARY

### REPORT OF 1956

### RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Balance on hand January 1, 1956 | $ 678.38 |
| March 9, 1956, Interest on Trust Funds | 92.50 |
| Refund on Insurance | 24.00 |
| October 22, 1956, Town Appropriation and balance of Trust Funds | 355.21 |
| | $1,150.09 |

### EXPENDITURES

| | |
|---|---|
| Maude Langford, Librarian 1 year | $ 90.00 |
| R. D. Campbell Agency, Treasurer Bond (3 Yrs.) | 15.00 |
| Community Gas Company | 145.40 |
| Goodman's Bookstore, books | 197.63 |
| | $ 448.03 |
| Balance on Hand December 31, 1956 | 702.06 |
| | $1,150.09 |

GERTRUDE WASHBURN,
MAUDE LANGFORD,
JAMES G. FOLLANSBEE,
Library Trustees.

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

We have had a circulation of 1366 books during the past year. 84 new books were added and 20 were added by gift, also a year's subscription to World Tennis and Facts Forum were received.

MAUDE LANGFORD,
Librarian.

## AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, Police, Justices of the Municipal Court, Road Agent, Health Officer and Overseer of the Poor for the year ending December 31, 1956 and find them neatly and correctly kept. A few small errors in entry and addition have been satisfactorily adjusted.

RENA B. WATSON,
RACHEL A. LaFLEUR,
Auditors.

EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

HOOKSETT VILLAGE WATER PRECINCT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956

OFFICERS OF THE DISTRICT

Moderator

GEORGE A. COOK

Clerk

CHARLES E. WOODBURY

Treasurer

HERBERT J. LaSALLE

Water Commissioners

EUCLID CADRETTE . . . . . Term Expires 1957
ALFRED COLLERETTE . . . . . Term Expires 1958
LEANDRE LAMBERT . . . . . Term Expires 1959
LESLIE PIKE . . . . . Term Expires 1960
JOHN B. MULAIRE . . . . . Term Expires 1961
Superintendent - ALFRED COLLERETTE

Report of Water Commissioners

During 1956 negotiations in progress with the State Highway Department regarding the Central New Hampshire Turnpike were brought to a successful conclusion and the Turnpike has been constructed with no resulting damage to the Precinct's water supply and without reducing the area of the water shed of Pinnacle Pond.

The system has continued to grow with the installation of 140 feet of 8 inch main, 1400 feet of 6 inch main and 862 feet of 2 inch main; and the installation of 7 new services. In addition there has been installed one new hydrant and two of the old hydrants on the old mill line have been replaced.

It is anticipated that during the coming year an additional 1650 feet of 6 inch pipe and 2 new hydrants will be installed. Pipe for this extension is already on hand and the work will probably be completed this spring.

Funds for these two major extensions were obtained through the issue of Precinct notes, in accordance with a vote at the last Precinct Meeting. Payments for the retirement of these notes, together with the sum of $1,000. which is required to complete the 1957 Main Extension program has resulted in an increase in this year's budget of approximately $3,000.00.

Board of Water Commissioners

## BUDGET OF THE HOOKSETT VILLAGE WATER PRECINCT

### REVENUE

| Sources of Revenue | 1956 Estimated | 1956 Actual | 1957 Estimated |
|---|---|---|---|
| Water Rents | $ 6,781.53 | $ 6,200.31 | $ 6,269.32 |
| Hydrant Rents | | 1,150.00 | 1,150.00 |
| Service Connections | 140.00 | 222.20 | |
| Sale of Pipe | | 38.00 | |
| Refunds | | 144.43 | |
| Cash on hand 12/31/55 | 78.47 | 78.47 | |
| Cash on hand 12/31/56 | | | 2,313.18 |
| Total Revenue From All Sources except Tax | $ 7,000.00 | $ 7,833.41 | $ 9,732.50 |
| Precinct Tax | 5,250.00 | 5,250.00 | 8,250.00 |
| | $12,250.00 | $13,083.41 | $17,982.50 |

FRED WALKER, Chairman
NELSON LAMBERT,
CHARLES R. LEONE,
ALFRED COLLERETTE,
LINDSAY H. RICE,
CHARLES E. WOODBURY,
LIONEL F. LaPLANTE,
HOWARD M. BURBANK,
OSCAR MORIN, JR., for Selectman
LESLIE M. PIKE, for School Board
EDWARD HIGGINS

Budget Committee

## EXPENDITURES

| Purpose of Expenditures | 1956 Estimated | 1956 Actual | 1957 Estimated |
|---|---|---|---|
| Administration | | | |
| Precinct Officers Salaries | $ 50.00 | $ 50.00 | $ 50.00 |
| Precinct Officers Expenses | 50.00 | 18.84 | 50.00 |
| Employees Salaries | 850.00 | 849.00 | 850.00 |
| Misc. General Expense | 200.00 | 159.50 | 200.00 |
| Production | | | |
| Operating Expense | 1,200.00 | 1,291.34 | 1,400.00 |
| Equipment, Repairs & Maintenance | 200.00 | 276.85 | 300.00 |
| General Production Expense | 200.00 | 3.60 | 100.00 |
| Distribution | | | |
| Mains, Repairs & Maintenance | 600.00 | 251.48 | 600.00 |
| Services, Repairs & Maintenance | 100.00 | 125.50 | 150.00 |
| Hydrants, Repairs & Maintenance | 25.00 | 34.00 | 150.00 |
| Standpipe, Repairs & Maintenance | 50.00 | 4.50 | 25.00 |
| General District Expense | 25.00 | .00 | 10.00 |
| Interest | 2,212.50 | 2,350.00 | 2,397.50 |
| Unclassified | | | |
| Legal & Audit | 165.00 | 184.49 | 100.00 |
| Engineering | 185.00 | 185.00 | 100.00 |
| Emergency Fund | .00 | .00 | 400.00 |
| New Construction & Equipment | | | |
| Mains | .00 | 613.96 | 3,000.00 |
| Services | 337.50 | 551.87 | 500.00 |
| Hydrants | 500.00 | 904.39 | 300.00 |
| Capital Reserve Fund | 300.00 | .00 | 300.00 |
| Indebtedness | | | |
| Payment on Notes | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
| Payment on Bonds | 4,000.00 | 4,000.00 | 4,000.00 |
| | $12,250.00 | $12,854.32 | $17,982.50 |

## AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Superintendent, Treasurer, and Clerk of the Hooksett Village Water Precinct and found them neatly and correctly kept and all money properly accounted for.

RENA B. WATSON,
RACHEL A. LaFLEUR,
Auditors.

## CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT

Officers of the District.

Moderator

Harold Gaw

Clerk

Walter B. Scott

Treasurer

Mrs. Virginia Kimball

Water Commissioners.

Ralph W. Page
Rudolph Dlugosz
Maurice Robie
Edward Higgins

Guy Kimball

Superintendent.

Ralph Page.

BUDGET OF THE CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT

REVENUE

| Source of Revenue | Actual Revenue Previous Year | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year |
|---|---|---|
| Water Department | | |
| Water Rents | 1,749.68 | 3,400.00 |
| Merchandise Sales and Job Work | 2,064.62 | |
| Hydrant Rents | | 2,800.00 |
| Other - Interest | 810.80 | |
| Cash Surplus | | 15,819.72 |
| TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PRECINCT TAXES | | 22,019.72 |
| AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PRECINCT TAXES | 7,847.20 | 7,000.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUES | | $29,019.72 |

EXPENDITURES

| Purpose of Expenditures | Appropriations Previous Year | Actual Expenditures Previous Year | Appropriations Recommended By Budget Committee |
|---|---|---|---|
| Water Department | | | |
| Current Operating, Maintenance and Distribution Expenses | | | |
| Water Supply Expenses | | | |
| Power Purchased (71) | 700.00 | 108.54 | 1,200.00 |
| Labor (66) | 200.00 | 72.00 | 400.00 |
| Rent of Well Site (75) | | | 600.00 |
| Pumping Sta. Expense (69) | 100.00 | | 100.00 |
| Distribution Expenses | | | |
| Repairs to Mains (85) | 100.00 | | 300.00 |
| Repairs to Services (87) | | | 200.00 |
| Repairs to Hydrants (88) | | | 200.00 |
| General Expenses | | | |
| Salaries Precinct Officers (95) | 50.00 | | 50.00 |
| Gen'l Office Expenses (97) | 100.00 | 371.14 | 200.00 |
| Other General Expenses (99) | 200.00 | | 100.00 |
| Legal & Audit (100) | | | 100.00 |
| Misc. Exp. during Const. (29) | 5,189.40 | | 3,600.00 |
| Construction of New System | 180,000.00 | 164,018.10 | |
| Services (22) | | | 2,200.00 |
| Mains (21) | | | 3,109.72 |
| Meters (24) | | | 1,800.00 |
| Well Site (2) | | | 2,100.00 |
| Principal of Debt | | | 7,000.00 |
| Interest | 5,760.00 | 5,760.00 | 5,760.00 |
| TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES | | 170,329.78 | 29,019.72 |

Members of Budget Committee

ED. HIGGINS for Central Precinct
LINDSAY H. RICE
FRED WALKER
ALFRED COLLERETTE, for Village Precinct
PAUL N. GUIMOND
NELSON LAMBERT
CHARLES R. LEONE
HOWARD BURBANK
OSCAR A. MORIN, JR., for Selectmen
LESLIE M. PIKE for School Board
CHARLES E. WOODBURY, Clerk

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Year Ending June 30, 1956

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## OFFICERS OF THE DISTRICT

February 1, 1957

Moderator
GEORGE A. COOK

District Clerk
ESTHER LACHAPPELLE

Treasurer
HELEN W. COURSER

School Board

| | |
|---|---|
| LOIS C. MERRILL | Term expires 1957 |
| RUTGER BROEK | Term expires 1958 |
| LESLIE M. PIKE | Term expires 1959 |

Auditors

WALTER B. SCOTT  RENA B. WATSON

School Nurse
ADONIA A. DOUILLETTE, R.N.

Superintendent of Schools
MURRAY H. WATSON

Attendance Officer
LINDSAY RICE

Census Enumerator
MURIEL SCOTT

## SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Hooksett, N. H. qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the ninth (9th) day of March 1957, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, action upon the following subjects will be at two (2) o'clock in the afternoon.

Polls will close at 3 P.M.

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will vote to accept the land, twelve (12) acres, more or less, offered to the district by Mr. Fred C. Underhill, or take any action thereon.

10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,300.00 for the purchase of land, twelve (12) acres more or less, adjoining the Village School property.

11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,780.00 to be amortized over a period of six (6) years, for the purchase of a school bus to be used in addition to the present transportation.

12. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $375,000.00 for the construction and equipping of an elementary school on the Underhill site consisting of not more than six (6) classrooms and multi-purpose room and an elementary school on the Village School land consisting of not more than four (4) classrooms and a multi-purpose room, and in order to provide these funds to authorize the School Board to issue serial notes or bonds in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act. RSA, Chapter 33, and any amendments relating thereto.

13. To see if the district will authorize the construction and equipping of a new 6 room school and an all purpose room on the Underhill property. For this purpose appropriate a sum not to exceed $210,000.00 such sum to be raised through the issuance of serial bonds under and in compliance with the provision of Chapter 72, Revised Laws, as amended and to authorize the school board to determine the time and place of payment, rate of interest on said bonds, and to do whatever may be necessary to the issuance thereof. Inserted by petition.

14. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive in the name of the district such advances, Grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or any state agency.

15. If the preceeding article is adopted, to see if the district will continue the present committee as a building committee for the new construction and to authorize the school board acting upon the advice of the building committee, to execute any and all contracts or agreements necessary proper and advisable in connection with this construction.

16. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Hooksett this 11th day of February, 1957.

LOIS C. MERRILL
RUTGER BROEK
LESLIE M. PIKE
School Board

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

LOIS C. MERRILL
RUTGER BROEK
LESLIE M. PIKE
School Board

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

1957 - 1958

| EXPENDITURES ITEM | Adopted Budget 1956-57 | Actual Expenditures July 1 to Dec. 31, 1956 | School Board's Budget 1957-58 | Budget Committee's Budget 1957-58 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Administration | | | | |
| Salaries of district officers | $ 460.00 | $ 490.00 | $ 550.00 | $ 550.00 |
| Supt.'s salary (local share) | 1,292.50 | 1,292.50 | 1,537.29 | 1,537.29 |
| Tax for state wide supervision | 1,066.00 | 1,066.00 | 1,090.00 | 1,090.00 |
| Salaries of other administrative personnel | 600.00 | 528.79 | 800.00 | 800.00 |
| Supplies and expenses | 750.00 | 497.11 | 800.00 | 800.00 |
| Instruction | | | | |
| Elementary teachers' & principals' salaries | 59,300.00 | 19,723.30 | 65,000.00 | 65,000.00 |
| Books and other instruction aids, elementary | 2,200.00 | 1,750.93 | 2,300.00 | 2,300.00 |
| Scholars' supplies, elementary | 2,400.00 | 2,646.33 | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 |
| Other expenses, elementary | 400.00 | 133.99 | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| Operation of School Plant | | | | |
| Salaries of custodians, elementary | 2,800.00 | 1,501.44 | 3,320.00 | 3,320.00 |
| Fuel or heat, elementary | 3,300.00 | 1,048.39 | 3,900.00 | 3,900.00 |
| Water, light, supplies and expenses, elementary | 2,000.00 | 1,362.13 | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 |
| Maintenance of School Plant | | | | |
| Repairs and replacements, elementary | 800.00 | 1,343.64 | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| Auxiliary Activities | | | | |
| Health supervision, elementary | 1,100.00 | 319.69 | 1,125.00 | 1,125.00 |
| Transportation, elementary | 10,300.00 | 4,089.64 | 11,600.00 | 11,600.00 |
| Tuition, elementary | 40,000.00 | 15,784.44 | 40,000.00 | 40,000.00 |
| Special activities and special funds, elementary | 1,000.00 | 750.00 | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Fixed Charges | | | | |
| Retirement, elementary | 4,022.42 | 1,401.47 | 4,632.39 | 4,632.39 |
| Insurance, treas. bonds & expenses, elementary | 1,375.00 | 993.55 | 1,500.00 | 1,500.00 |
| Total Current Expenses | $135,165.92 | $ 56,723.34 | $146,654.68 | $146,654.68 |

| EXPENDITURES ITEM | Adopted Budget 1956-57 | Actual Expenditures July 1 to Dec. 31, 1956 | School Board's Budget 1957-58 | Budget Committee's Budget 1957-58 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Capital Outlay | | | | |
| Lands, elementary | | | | 6,300.00 |
| Additions and improvements, elementary | 25,000.00 | 16,260.19 | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |
| New equipment, Bus | | | | 970.00 |
| New equipment, elementary | 1,800.00 | 1,441.55 | 800.00 | 800.00 |
| Debt and Interest | | | | |
| Principal of debt | 5,450.00 | 4,200.00 | 8,000.00 | 8,000.00 |
| Interest on debt | 900.00 | 434.25 | 1,700.00 | 1,700.00 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES OR SCH. APPROP. | $168,315.92 | $ 79,059.33 | $159,154.68 | $166,424.68 |

APPROPRIATIONS SUBMITTED WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

| Item | Amount |
|---|---|
| Main Street & Underhill Schools | $375,000.00 |
| Underhill School | $210,000.00 |

Budget Committee

FRED WALKER, Chairman
NELSON LAMBERT
LINDSAY H. RICE
ALFRED COLLERETTE
PAUL N. GUIMOND
HOWARD BURBANK
CHARLES E. WOODBURY Clerk
ED. HIGGINS
OSCAR MORIN, JR.
CHARLES R. LEONE
RUTGER BROEK, for School Board

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT
July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

### EXPENDITURES

| | |
|---|---|
| Administration: | |
| Salaries of District Officers | $ 455.00 |
| Superintendent's Salary - Local Share | 1,194.60 |
| Tax for State Wide Supervision | 990.00 |
| Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel | 523.14 |
| Supplies & Expenses | 953.95 |
| Instruction: | |
| Teachers' Salaries | 49,506.84 |
| Books and Other Instructional Aids | 1,769.21 |
| Scholars' Supplies | 2,306.35 |
| Supplies and Other Expenses | 399.57 |
| Operation of School Plant: | |
| Salaries of Custodians | 2,380.00 |
| Fuel or Heat | 3,649.78 |
| Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses | 2,452.04 |
| Maintenance of School Plant: | |
| Repairs and Replacements | 2,119.66 |
| Auxiliary Activities: | |
| Health Supervision | 757.11 |
| Transportation | 10,160.20 |
| Tuition | 31,049.08 |
| School Lunch | 2,384.27 |
| Fixed Charges: | |
| Retirement | 3,473.32 |
| Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses | 967.49 |
| Capital Outlay: | |
| Lands and New Buildings | 1,250.00 |
| Additions and Improvements to Buildings | 2,862.22 |
| Debt and Interest: | |
| Principal of Debt | 5,450.00 |
| Interest on Debt | 990.00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Total net payments for all purposes | 128,043.83 |
| Cash on Hand at end of year June 30, 1956 | 674.11 |
| GRAND TOTAL -- Net Payments | $128,717.94 |

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|---|
| National School Lunch | $ 1,475.28 |
| Local Taxation -- Current Appropriation | 126,000.00 |
| Other Sources | 628.48 |
| Cash on Hand July 1, 1955 | 614.18 |
| GRAND TOTAL -- Net Receipts | $128,717.94 |

Respectfully submitted,
LOIS C. MERRILL
RUTGER BROEK
LESLIE M. PIKE
School Board

## BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1956

### ASSETS

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on Hand June 30, 1956 | $ 674.11 |
| Accounts Due District From Town | 263.59 |
| Total Assets | 937.70 |
| Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities over Assets) | 41,412.30 |
| GRAND TOTAL | $ 42,350.00 |

### LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|---|
| Advance on 1956-57 Appropriation: Due Martins School for Special Work | $ 800.00 |
| Notes and Bonds Outstanding | 41,550.00 |
| Total Liabilities | $ 42,350.00 |
| GRAND TOTAL | $ 42,350.00 |

### STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

| | |
|---|---|
| Outstanding at Beginning of Year | $ 47,800.00 |
| Issued during year | 0.00 |
| Total | $ 47,800.00 |
| Payments of Principal of Debt | 5,450.00 |
| Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year | $ 42,350.00 |

## HOOKSETT BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT ON SCHOOL BUDGET

An open meeting of the Budget Committee was held at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, February 14th, 1956 at 7 o'clock. Voters present discussed the articles of the warrant.

A closed meeting of the Committee was held on Friday evening, February 15th at Fire Station No. 2, at 7 o'clock.

Aritcles approved 10 and 11. Articles 13 and 14 submitted without recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

Hooksett Budget Committee

FRED WALKER,
NELSON LAMBERT,
LINDSAY H. RICE,
PAUL H. GUIMOND,
HOWARD BURBANK,
CHARLES R. LEONE,
OSCAR MORIN, JR., for Selectmen
ALFRED COLLERETTE, for Village Precinct
EDWARD HIGGINS, for Central Precinct
RUTGER BROEK, for School Board
CHARLES E. WOODBURY, Clerk

## SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

| | |
|---|---|
| Cash on Hand July 1, 1955 | $ 614.18 |
| Received from Selectmen: | |
| Current Appropriation | 126,000.00 |
| Received from State Treasurer: | |
| Federal Funds | 1,475.28 |
| Received from all other sources | 628.48 |
| Total Receipts | $128,103.76 |
| Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year: | |
| Balance and Receipts | $128,717.94 |
| Total School Board Orders Paid | 128,043.83 |
| Cash on Hand June 30, 1956 | 674.11 |
| | $128,717.94 |

HELEN W. COURSER,
District Treasurer.

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hooksett of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956 and find them correct in all respects.

August 9, 1956

RENA B. WATSON,
WALTER B. SCOTT,
Auditors.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Hooksett:

May I present my tenth annual report of the schools of Hooksett and at the same time express my thanks to you and all persons who have sincerely tried to understand and develop an educational program both academically and materialistically for the youth of the town.

Because of the increase in enrollments two teachers were added this year -- one in the eighth grade and one in the sixth grade. This brings the total number of teachers to eighteen. Of the 18 this year, Mrs. Duncan, who replaced Miss Downing, Miss Van Horn, who replaced Mrs. Botop, are new. Since the sixth grade children in the entire district are now transported to the Village School, another teacher, Mrs. DeAngeles, was added. Mrs. Faneuf taught Grade 7 last year, but since this class has grown so large it had to be split as an eighth grade, and she was moved along with half of the class while Mr Dupont, a new teacher, has the other half. To take Mrs. Faneuf's room in Grade 7, Mrs. Halvorson was elected.

The remainder of the staff returned from a year ago -- Mrs. Edmunds, Mrs. Johnson, and Mrs. Clough at Lincoln Park; Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. Allen, and Mr. Brendle at Martin's Corner; and Mrs. Bean, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. English, Mrs. Montrone, Miss Lally, Mr. O'Neil, and Mrs. Faneuf at the Village School.

Up to February 1, 1957 there have been 454 children registered in the schools. Of these Lincoln Park has contributed 85, Grades 1-5; Martin's, 70, Grades 1-5; and the Village 299, Grades 1-8. This total is for the school year to date 1956-1957. For the sake of the record as well as curiosity, let us look at the registration for a full year 12 years ago. In 1945-46, 12 years ago, the total registration for the district was 234 pupils. Of these there were 57 in Lincoln Park, Grades 1-8; 51 at Martin's, Grades 1-8; and 126 at the Village, Grades 1-8. In 12 years there are nearly twice as many pupils with twice as many teachers.

Let us look at this growth by chart:

Twelve - Year Enrollment Growth

| Grade | Lincoln | | Martin's | | Village | | Total | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1945 1946 | 1956 1957 | 1945 1946 | 1956 1957 | 1945 1946 | 1956 1957 | 1945 1946 | 1956 1957 |
| 1 | 9 | 16 | 11 | 18 | 18 | 32 | 38 | 66 |
| 2 | 8 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 32 | 31 | 59 |
| 3 | 1 | 12 | 6 | 9 | 13 | 34 | 20 | 55 |
| 4 | 5 | 22 | 3 | 18 | 14 | 24 | 22 | 64 |
| 5 | 7 | 18 | 4 | 15 | 17 | 24 | 28 | 57 |
| 6 | 8 | -- | 7 | -- | 13 | 51 | 28 | 51 |
| 7 | 10 | -- | 7 | -- | 22 | 48 | 39 | 48 |
| 8 | 9 | -- | 4 | -- | 15 | 54 | 28 | 54 |
| Totals | 57 | 85 | 51 | 70 | 126 | 299 | 234 | 454 |

A great deal has been said concerning the enrollments in the town and much more will be said. It all condenses to the fact that there will be more and more children in the town each year and no matter what we build today for present conditions, we shall have to continue to build again in the future.

It is gratifying to know, however, that the Board has recommended a long range plan for schools and as you read and study the proposed recommendations as well as the increase in pupils over the last 10-12 years, you can't but realize that with continued industrial growth school planning must be of a long range nature, if the town is to meet its obligations to the children.

Again, may I thank the members of the Board for their kindness and help in working out the problems of the schools of the town.

Respectfull submitted,

MURRAY H. WATSON,
Superintendent of Schools

## LIST OF TEACHERS AND OTHERS

| | |
|---|---|
| Josie F. Bean, Principal | Village School |
| Marcia Duncan | Village School |
| Paul Dupont | Village School |
| Louise English | Village School |
| Adele Halvorson | Village School |
| Ruth Lally | Village School |
| Mildred Montrone | Village School |
| Eugene O'Neil | Village School |
| Virginia De Angeles | Village School |
| Florence Sullivan | Village School |
| Janet Van Horn | Village School |
| Esther O'Brien, Principal | Martin's Corner |
| Dorothy Allen | Martin's Corner |
| William Brendle | Martin's Corner |
| Sylvia Edmunds, Principal | Lincoln Park |
| Alberta Johnson | Lincoln Park |
| Lorna Clough | Lincoln Park |

Mabel E. Reed, Music

## BUILDING CUSTODIANS

| | |
|---|---|
| Ralph Johnson | Lincoln Park |
| Frank Elen | Martin's Corner |
| George Noyes | Village School |

## SCHOOL NURSE

| | |
|---|---|
| Adonia A. Douillette, R.N. | All Schools |

## TRANSPORTERS

| | |
|---|---|
| Edmund W. Allen | All Schools |
| Jennie LaValley | Village School |

## LUNCH DIRECTORS

| | |
|---|---|
| Dorothy Page | Lincoln Park |
| Louise Dickens | Martin's Corner |
| Erene Mitchell | Village School |

## EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES

Howard S. Beadle, Jr.
Robert E. Benson
Real E. Bergeron
Paul Roland Bernard
Andre A. Bourque
John Joseph Broderick
Ann Judith Bullard
Leopold E. Champagne
Rudolph J. Dlugosz, Jr.
John E. Drake
Pauline R. Dube
David A. Enderson
Warren E. Foote
Joanne Alice Follansbee
Neal Earl Gove
Jeanette Mary Grandmaison
Robert Andre Hebert
Daniel E. Jaskolka
Carmon K. Jordon
June V. Joseph
Lorraine Evelyn Lafond
Dianne L. Leach
Barbara Eva Lindh
Else Maria Loeffler
Barbara Ann MacEachern
Mary Musette Meyer
Alfred F. Meyer, Jr.
Richard R. Nadeau
James Demming Otis
Doris N. Parrott
Robert Louis Peppin
George Rendell Robie
Steven Jeffery Sante
Arlene Frances San Soussi
Armand San Soussi
Patricia Ruth Scott
Anthony J. St. Germain, Jr.
Judith Ethel Squire
Elizabeth Celia Woodworth

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

### RECEIPTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| National School Lunch | | | $1,462.60 |
| District General Fund | | | 881.00 |
| Lunch Sales: | | | |
| | Children | $6,456.39 | |
| | Adults | 344.80 | 6,801.19 |
| Other Sources | | | 293.66 |
| | Total Receipts | | $9,438.45 |
| Cash on Hand July 1, 1955 | | | 5.90 |
| | GRAND TOTAL | | $9,444.35 |

### PAYMENTS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Food | $5,201.06 | | |
| Labor | 2,939.84 | | |
| Equipment | 325.88 | | |
| Other | 138.62 | | |
| Total Payments | | $8,605.40 | |
| Cash on Hand June 30, 1956 | | 835.95 | |
| | GRAND TOTAL | | $9,444.35 |

DOROTHY PAGE - Lincoln
LOUISE DICKENS - Martins
ERENE MITCHELL - Village

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

January to June 1957

Schools Open ..... Wednesday, January 2
Schools Close ..... Friday, February 15

Winter Vacation February 18 - 22

Schools Open ..... Monday February 25
Schools Close ..... Friday, April 19

Spring Vacation April 22 - 26

Schools Open ..... Monday, April 29
Schools Close ..... Thursday, May 30

Memorial Day

Schools Open ..... Friday, May 31
Schools Close ..... Friday, June 14

Or at the completion of 180 days.

September to December 1957

Schools Open ..... Thursday, September 5
Schools Close ..... Wednesday, November 27

Schools Open ..... Monday, December 2
Schools Close ..... Friday, December 20

Holidays

October 17 & 18 ... Thursday & Friday, Teachers' Convention
November 11 ..... Monday, Veterans' Day
November 28 & 29 ..... Thursday & Friday, Thanksgiving

STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING

June 30, 1956

| Items | Lincoln Park | Martin's Corner | Village School | Aggregates and Averages |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Half-days in session | 348 | 348 | 348 | 348 |
| Total Enrollments | 100 | 72 | 261 | 433 |
| Average Membership | 92 | 70 | 241 | 403 |
| Percent of Attendance | 94 | 94 | 94 | 94 |
| No. Pupils Transported by District | 22 | 47 | 197 | 266 |
| No. Pupils not absent or tardy | 4 | 5 | 9 | 18 |
| No. Tardinesses per pupil | .6 | .22 | .19 | 1.01 |
| No. Visits School Board | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| No. Visits Superintendent | 14 | 28 | 35 | 77 |
| No. Visits School Nurse | 32 | 29 | 37 | 98 |
| No. Visits - All Others | 82 | 190 | 110 | 382 |

ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT

1955-1956 District--Hooksett

Total number of pupils examined 413

| Defects | No. Cases | No. of Pupils Seen or Treated by Family Physician | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Vision | 17 | 28 | |
| Skin | 3 | 3 | |
| Posture | 14 | 4 | |
| Speech | 3 | 3 | |
| Teeth | 297 | 151 | |
| Tonsils | 6 | 9 | |
| Vision Tests | | | 459 |
| Hearing Tests | | | 86 |
| Inspections | | | 459 |
| Heights | | | 413 |
| Weights | | | 413 |
| First Aid | | | 69 |
| Chicken Pox | | | 47 |
| Measles | | | 34 |
| Whooping Cough | | | 3 |
| Pediculosis | | | 7 |
| No. Successfully Vaccinated | | | 411 |

| Clinics and Special Referrals | Examined | Treated |
|---|---|---|
| Dental | 79 | 41 |
| Preschool | 46 | |
| Orthopedic | 5 | 5 |
| Eye | 2 | 2 |
| T. B. Patch | 382 | 382 |
| Salk Vaccination | 313 | 313 |
| Heart | 1 | 1 |
| Vaccination | 2 | 2 |
| X-Ray | 4 | |

Respectfully submitted,
ADONIA A. DOUILLETTE, R.N.
School Nurse.

Report of Supervisory Union #53 on the distribution of the Superintendent's Salary and Travel inside the Union for the year 1955 - 1956.

| District | Salary Local Share | Travel Local Share | Total Local Share |
|---|---|---|---|
| Allenstown | $ 418.60 | $ 73.26 | $ 491.86 |
| Candia | $ 491.18 | $ 85.96 | $ 577.14 |
| Deerfield | $ 344.80 | $ 60.34 | $ 405.14 |
| HOOKSETT | $ 1,016.68 | $ 177.92 | $ 1,194.60 |
| Pembroke | $ 903.22 | $ 158.05 | $ 1,061.27 |
| Raymond | $ 825.52 | $ 144.47 | $ 969.99 |
| Totals | $ 4,000.00 | $ 700.00 | $ 4,700.00 |
| State's Share | $ 2,500.00 | $ none | $ 2,500.00 |
| Totals | $ 6,500.00 | $ 700.00 | $ 7,200.00 |

## REPORT OF AUDITORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hooksett, N. H., August 9, 1956.

We have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other accounts of the Treasurer and Clerk of the School District of Hooksett of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956.

We have also checked the books and accounts of the three School Lunch Supervisors and found that their accounts were well kept and all cash handled by them was properly accounted for.

The audit shows that the District has spent approximately $2,000. more than the budget called for, due to the hard winter and the unexpected increase in enrollment of pupils.

RENA B. WATSON,
WALTER B. SCOTT
Auditors.

# Births

# Marriages

# Deaths

Births Registered in the Town of Hooksett, N.H.
For the Year Ending December 31, 1956

| Date | | and Place of Birth | Name of Child | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 9 | Manchester | Alan J. Turcotte | Roger L. Turcotte | Irene M. Murray |
| Jan. | 11 | Manchester | Robert A. Gagne | Roland G. Gagne | Ruth A. Boynton |
| Jan. | 13 | Manchester | Lisa M. Paris | Roger J. Paris | Alberta M. Burbank |
| Jan. | 14 | Manchester | Denise A. Dubois | Alfred J. Dubois | Juliette M. Lapointe |
| Jan. | 14 | Manchester | Allen L. Goodwin | Lewis A. Goodwin | Newvart T. Vosgershian |
| Feb. | 9 | Goffstown | Stephen J. Gelinas | Donald S. Gelinas | Violet A. Lesmerises |
| Feb. | 16 | Manchester | Joanne Lombardo | Frank Lombardo | Rita J. Beliveau |
| Feb. | 17 | Manchester | Philip R. Roy | Maurice A. Roy | Albertine L. Messier |
| Feb. | 26 | Manchester | Catherine R. Botsford | Donald M. Botsford | Georgette Y. Wilcox |
| March | 18 | Concord | David E. Moore | Gordon E. Moore, Jr. | Patricia A. Mc Donough |
| March | 20 | Concord | Deborah J. Lyford | John T. Lyford | Joan P. Grimes |
| March | 30 | Manchester | April L. Durocher | Fernand M. Durocher | Henrietta A. Woodin |
| April | 23 | Manchester | Roy B. Seavy | Ralph W. Seavey | Mary L. Zapora |
| May | 5 | Concord | Christine M. Roy | Lawrence L. Roy, Sr. | Madeline P. Osborne |
| May | 10 | Manchester | Karen A. McLaughlin | Richard V. McLaughlin | Florence D. Bournival |
| May | 14 | Manchester | Richard L. Belisle | Leo G. Belisle | Simonne L. Mulaire |
| June | 5 | Manchester | John B. Edwards | Everett E. Edwards | Frances M. Colligan |
| June | 8 | Concord | Janet C. Maynes | James M. Maynes | Amy Bethena Fitch |
| June | 17 | Derry | Lynn M. Holt | Joseph W. Holt | Phyllis A. Severance |
| June | 21 | Manchester | Gary A. Hebert | Leo A. Hebert | Winifred M. Hemeon |
| July | 2 | Manchester | Robert S. Chase | Herbert L. Chase | Charlotte G. Bleil |
| July | 26 | Manchester | Diane L. Nadeau | Normand D. Nadeau | Mary L. Towle |
| July | 27 | Manchester | David F. Albin | Frank Albin | Virgina L. Soderberg |
| Aug. | 9 | Manchester | Emile J. Pinsonneault | Maurice J. Pinsonneault | Joan H. Andy |
| Aug. | 11 | Manchester | Vivianne A. Nault | Roland E Nault | Irene L. Champagne |
| Aug. | 12 | Laconia | Karen A. Cook | Douglas E. Cook | Juliette C. Leahy |
| Aug. | 24 | Manchester | George W. Lindh | George H. Lindh | Germaine B. Bisson |
| Aug. | 27 | Derry | Robert A. Converse | Charles B. Converse, Jr. | Dorothy E. Botsford |
| Aug. | 28 | Manchester | Donna M. Martineau | Donald F. Martineau | Patricia Ann Thiem |
| Sept. | 2 | Manchester | Stephen W. Korzyniowski | Matthew H. Korzyniowski | Helene M. Dobrowski |
| Sept. | 10 | Derry | Kinsey Y. Moy | Harry Moy | Theresa M. Carreau |
| Oct. | 15 | Manchester | Pamela J. Brown | Raymond J. Brown | L. Elizabeth Burbank |
| Oct. | 24 | Manchester | Normand P. Pelletier | Rosaire J. Pelletier | Lillian R. Malo |
| Nov. | 1 | Manchester | Diane D. M. Horion | Laurier R. Horion | Beatrice O. Gosselin |
| Nov. | 4 | Manchester | Mark W. Campbell | Rudolph Campbell | Lena B. Belisle |
| Nov. | 17 | Manchester | Dorothy M. French | William P. French | Dorothy M. Scott |
| Nov. | 30 | Manchester | Debra Ann Major | Andrew T. Major | Yvonne Y. Dallaire |
| Dec. | 7 | Manchester | Michael G. Koehler | Joseph T. Koehler | Sybil M. Koehler |
| Dec. | 17 | Manchester | Janet L. Belanger | George R. Belanger | Dorothy M. Lazott |
| Dec. | 20 | Manchester | ..... Cochrane | Donald J. Cochrane | Rita L. Powers |
| Dec. | 29 | Manchester | Doreen M. Hebert | Roger E. Hebert | Frances E. Hyland |
| Dec. | 31 | Manchester | Cheryl L. Rivard | Armand E. Rivard | Shirley M. Allen |
| Not previously reported | | | | | |
| March | 18, | 1911 Hooksett | Ernest T. J. Goudreau | Ernest Goudreau | Marie L. Metivier |
| Dec. | 9, | 1950 Manchester. | Elizabeth A. Shackford | William H. Shackford | Doris C. Dion |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES R. HARDY, Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT , N. H.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956

| Date and Place of Marriage 1956 | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of Each at Time of Marriage | Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married |
|---|---|---|---|
| Feb. 11<br>Manchester | William O. Petterson<br>Rose M. Abbott | Hooksett<br>Concord | Lorin Bradford Young<br>Minister<br>Manchester |
| Feb. 11<br>Manchester | Ralph B. Snelling<br>Alberta J. Duval | Hooksett<br>Merrimack | Mark B. Strickland<br>Clergyman<br>Manchester |
| March 2<br>Manchester | Oscar J. Leclair<br>Lorette L. Lambert | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Nicholas J. Costakis<br>Justice of Peace<br>Manchester |
| March 22<br>Manchester | John Gimas<br>Sophia Raptis | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Charles H. Barnard<br>Justice of Peace<br>Manchester |
| April 14<br>Hooksett | Edward M. Laroche<br>Constance N. Duford | Hooksett<br>Hooksett | Rev. V. A. Dagenais<br>Catholic Priest<br>Hooksett |
| May 12<br>Hooksett | Gerard A. Bourcier<br>Jeannette A. Vallee | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Rev. V. A. Dagenais<br>Catholic Priest<br>Hooksett |
| May 26<br>Hooksett | Roland G. Gauthier<br>Lillian A. Hebert | Hooksett<br>Manchester | Rev. V. A. Dagenais<br>Catholic Priest<br>Hooksett |
| June 16<br>Hooksett | Henry T. St. Onge<br>Doris A. Soucy | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Rev. V. A. Dagenais<br>Catholic Priest<br>Hooksett |
| June 21<br>Hooksett | Donald R. Jones<br>Carla L. Keith | Westwood, Mass.<br>Westwood, Mass. | Charles R. Hardy<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hooksett |
| June 30<br>Manchester | Armand L. Talbot<br>Marceline D. Letendre | Hooksett<br>Manchester | Rev. Robert Carty<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| July 9<br>Manchester | Earl R. Robinson<br>Eva Ouellette | Hooksett<br>Manchester | Rev. Gerard A. Boucher<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| Aug. 4<br>Manchester | Joseph P. Lyons, Jr.<br>Joan B. Enright | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Rev. Geo. R. Kilcoyne<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| Aug. 25<br>Allenstown | Adelard T. Hebert, Jr.<br>Jeannine D. Gaumont | Hooksett<br>Allenstown | Rev. Adrien Verrette<br>Catholic Priest<br>Allenstown |
| Aug. 31<br>Hooksett | Harold J. Champagne<br>Helen M. Champagne | Hooksett<br>Goffstown | Charles R. Hardy<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hooksett |
| Sept. 1<br>Manchester | Francis A. Benson, Jr.<br>Jacqueline C. Roux | Hooksett<br>Manchester | Rev. M.R. Boulanger<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| Sept. 1<br>Manchester | Arthur E. Klardie<br>Kathleen H. Tjampiris | Hooksett<br>Manchester | Rev. James Ridge<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| Sept. 3<br>Allenstown | Gerard O. Nadeau<br>Jeanne T. Guertin | Hooksett<br>Allenstown | Rev. Adrien Verrette<br>Catholic Priest<br>Allenstown |
| Sept. 15<br>Manchester | Edward S. Wells<br>Patricia A. Dutemple | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Rev. Francis A. Callahan<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| Sept. 21<br>Hooksett | Julius R. Robinson, Jr.<br>Jacqueline LaValley | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Charles R. Hardy<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hooksett |
| Sept. 22<br>Hooksett | Robert W. Beadle<br>Gertrude D. Harnois | Hooksett<br>Hooksett | Rev. V. A. Dagenais<br>Catholic Priest<br>Hooksett |

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT , N. H.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956

| Date and Place of Marriage 1956 | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of Each at Time of Marriage | Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct. 12<br>Concord | Ernest G. Watts<br>Margaret M. Mahoney | Hooksett<br>Manchester | Rev. Archibald Kerr<br>Minister<br>Chichester |
| Oct. 13<br>Derry | Walter J. Come, Jr.<br>Dorothy E. Fossett | Hooksett<br>Derry | Karl H. Thiem<br>Minister<br>Derry |
| Oct. 19<br>Manchester | Alfred J. Stanbrook<br>Gladys L. Freese | Hooksett<br>Manchester | E. Ashley Gerhard<br>Clergyman<br>Manchester |
| Oct. 20<br>Manchester | Henry J. Baril<br>Mary G. Goonan | Manchester<br>Hooksett | Rev. John J. Foley<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester |
| Oct. 25<br>Hooksett | John R. Ehrenfeld<br>Myrna A. Goodman | Cambridge, Mass.<br>Cambridge, Mass. | Charles R. Hardy<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hooksett |
| Nov. 4<br>Hooksett | Stephen F. Hobitz, Jr.<br>Justine Jones | Norwood, Mass.<br>Westwood, Mass. | Charles R. Hardy<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hooksett |
| Dec. 22<br>Manchester | Alfred E. Rousseau<br>Barbara B. Cram | Hooksett<br>manchester | Mark B. Strickland<br>Clergyman<br>Manchester |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES R. HARDY, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N. H.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1956.

| Date of Death | | Place of Death | Name and Surname of the Deceased | Place of Birth |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 9 | Manchester | Janet Andrea Auger | Manchester |
| Jan. | 9 | Concord | Marvin A. Sawyer | Appleton, Wisc. |
| Jan. | 16 | Hooksett | Damase E. Carrier, Jr. | Penacook |
| Jan. | 21 | Goffstown | Helen Beauregard | Effingham |
| Jan. | 24 | Concord | Charles M. Greenough | Allenstown |
| Jan. | 26 | Manchester | Adelard E. Nadeau | St. Henri, Can. |
| Feb. | 2 | Hooksett | McLellan O. Boyce | Springfield |
| Feb. | 2 | Goffstown | Helen Conely | Canada |
| Feb. | 19 | Concord | Joseph Moreau | St. Bernard, Can. |
| Feb. | 27 | Goffstown | Anise LaFond | Michigan |
| March | 2 | Manchester | George E. Ferguson | Franklin |
| March | 5 | Manchester | Mary M. Robinson | England |
| March | 17 | Goffstown | Natt J. Cate | Hooksett |
| March | 19 | Manchester | Henrietta E. Stanbrook | England |
| April | 16 | Manchester | Anne Stobie | Forest City, Me. |
| April | 28 | Manchester | Arthur E. Kimball | Hooksett |
| May | 9 | Manchester | Grace C. Merrill | Salem, Mass. |
| May | 27 | Manchester | Henry F. Gamache | Canada |
| June | 9 | Hooksett | Faik D. Abaz | Turkey |
| June | 10 | Allenstown | Arnold B. Edstrom | Woonsocket, R. I. |
| June | 15 | Manchester | Maurice R. Shepard | So. Wheelock, Vt. |
| June | 17 | Manchester | George E. Savoie | Manchester |
| June | 28 | Barton Village, Vt. | Mae K. Drew | ..... |
| July | 2 | Manchester | Maryette Rowe | ..... |
| July | 3 | Amherst | Bonnie Handy | ..... |
| July | 11 | Hooksett | Beatrice E. Woodeson | Manchester |
| July | 15 | Manchester | Norman E. Hill | Manchester |
| July | 25 | Hooksett | Albert A. Carignan | Gorham |
| July | 28 | Manchester | Raymond F. Prince | Canada |
| Aug. | 2 | Hanover | Kin Chang | China |
| Aug. | 10 | Manchester | Alfred Bibeau | Canada |
| Aug. | 14 | Hooksett | Rene H. Dufort | Manchester |
| Aug. | 16 | Manchester | Carrie H. Johnson | Walpole |
| Sept. | 3 | Hooksett | Henry F. Somers | Manchester |
| Sept. | 9 | Pembroke | Fred Taber | Latvia |
| Sept. | 14 | Pembroke | Bruce C. Moncrieff | ..... |
| Sept. | 19 | Hooksett | Rita R. Therrien | Manchester |
| Oct. | 8 | Manchester | Grace Cole Henry | Hooksett |
| Nov. | 14 | Manchester | Alexina Gagne | Canada |
| Nov. | 18 | Manchester | James R. Addison | England |
| Nov. | 18 | Hooksett | Ruth Maude Lord | Concord |
| Nov. | 21 | Derry | Walter A. Perrigo | Ellenburg, N. Y. |
| Dec. | 19 | Manchester | Donat J. Beaulac | ..... |
| Dec. | 24 | Pembroke | James J. Reen | Concord |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES R. HARDY, Town Clerk.

# THE HOOKSETT INDUSTRIAL PARK

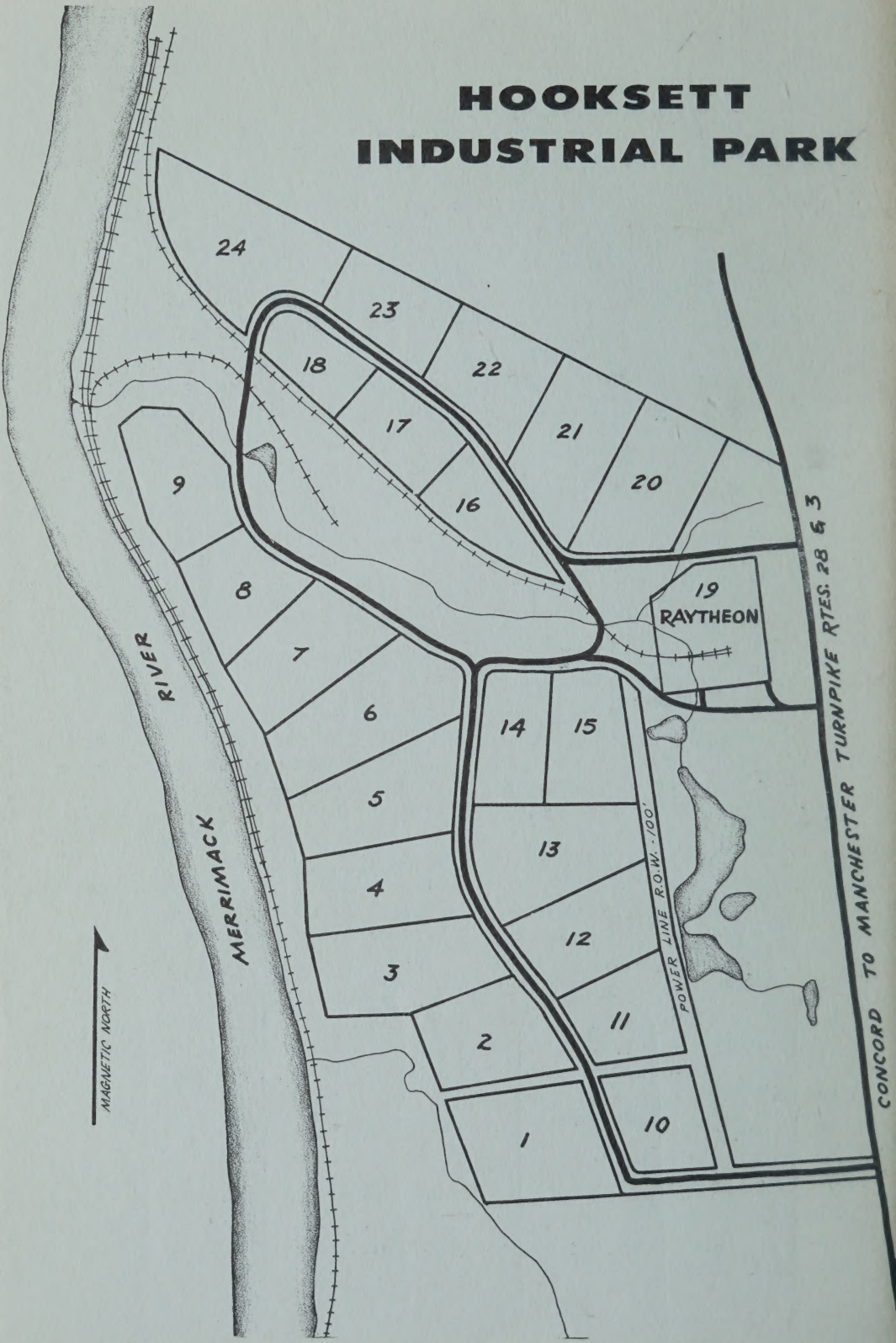
The Hooksett Industrial Park is the first project of the New Hampshire Industrial Park Authority, a creation of the 1955 New Hampshire Legislature.

The park occupies land formerly or presently owned by the Manchester Sand, Gravel and Cement Co., Inc. Title to approximately 100 acres of this land has already passed from the Manchester company to the New Hampshire Industrial Park Authority. Title to other parcels of land will be transferred from time to time as the sand and gravel firm completes its mining operations and as the need for more land for industrial development is felt by the Park Authority. Eventually, it is expected that the park area will include approximately one square mile.

Stage one of the development of this park consists of grading approximately 30 acres, providing access roads and water and sewerage facilities to serve this acreage, and construction of the 53,000 square foot building for which the cornerstone is being laid today.

The park is sponsored by the Suncook Charitable Foundation, a non-profit organization created in 1953 to work for the industrial development of an area centered in the vicinity of Hooksett. Development of the park is financed by the New Hampshire Industrial Park Authority, acting in response to a petition submitted by the Suncook Charitable Foundation.

Original plans for the development of the Hooksett Park called for construction of only a 40,000 square foot general purpose building, of which only the shell would be completed until the final use of the building had been determined. However, the Raytheon Manufacturing Company of Waltham, Massachusetts, committed itself to occupying this building even before preliminary plans had been drawn. As a result, the building now under construction is being built to specifications provided by that company and is approximately 13,000 square feet larger than the structure originally contemplated. It is located on a 12 acre site and can be doubled in size when there is need for additional floor space.

The Hooksett Park is the pilot operation for New Hampshire's industrial park program. The lessons learned in developing this first industrial park in New Hampshire will be applied in the future to other similar developments in other parts of the state.

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